

MAY BE BURIED  
AT HARTFORDJ. Pierpont Morgan Passes Away  
In Italy.

EVERY PRECAUTION TAKEN

Death of Famous American Financier Causes Only a Slight Flurry on the New York Stock Exchange—Bankers, Brokers, Railway and Business Men All Pay Warm Tribute to the Departed.

New York, April 1.—John Pierpont Morgan, whose death occurred at Rome, Italy, probably will be interred in a mausoleum in Cedar Hill cemetery, Hartford, Conn., which he had erected some years ago in memory of his father and mother. When the body of Mr. Morgan reaches here from Rome it is expected the funeral services will be held in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, toward the construction of which Mr. Morgan was a large contributor.

When the news of Mr. Morgan's death in Rome reached here expressions of regret at his passing were expressed on every side. In the financial district, the stock exchange and the consolidated exchange passed resolutions of respect to his memory and flags everywhere were dropped to half mast.

The offices of J. P. Morgan & Co. closed immediately upon receipt of news and little information was vouchsafed by the members of the firm. The statement was made, however, that business would be carried on undisturbed by the surviving members.

## Morbid Were Out in Force.

Equipages of all kinds drove up to Mr. Morgan's mansion and their occupants left cards of condolence. The morbid were out in force in the vicinity of the Morgan home and at one time reached such proportions it became necessary to request the police to disperse them.

Henry P. Davidson, now the senior member of the J. P. Morgan firm, said there likely would be a family conference at which details for the funeral would be arranged.

The immediate effect on the machinery of Wall street on account of Mr. Morgan's death was comparatively slight. On the stock exchange the news from Rome had largely spent its force within fifteen minutes after the opening of the market. Mr. Morgan's illness had prepared the financial district for the end and every precaution had been taken to guard against a serious break in prices. At the opening the prominent stocks declined a point or so, but they received prompt support and rallied quickly. Thereafter the market was dull.

## Makes Enormous Impression.

Wall street's relations with the head of the house of Morgan had been of such large consequence for so many years that the news of his passing made an enormous impression. From bankers, brokers, railroad and business men came tributes to the dead man.

Friends of Mr. Morgan pointed out another reason, in addition to the warning given by his illness, why the financier's death was not seriously disturbing. His career, they said, was rounded out. He had accomplished virtually all he started out to achieve. For some time the Morgan firm had refrained from large, new enterprises. All that human foresight could dictate had been done during the last year or so to safeguard the business and financial world against a calamity when Mr. Morgan's last hour came.

Nothing is known, as yet, as to how Mr. Morgan, in his will, disposed of his vast estate. J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., has been his father's understudy for years and is classed high in financial ability. He served his apprenticeship in the London house of Morgan, Grenfell & Co.

## SURROUNDED WITH FLOWERS

Body of J. Pierpont Morgan Lies in Death Chamber.

Rome, April 1.—The body of J. Pierpont Morgan, the New York financier, who died here, is lying in the death chamber, surrounded with flowers. Messages of sympathy have been received from King Victor Emmanuel, high officials of the state, diplomatic representatives, and from many personal friends in all parts of the world.

The death of Mr. Morgan was not known in Rome until several hours after it occurred, owing to the desire that Mr. Morgan's son, J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., who is in New York, should be first notified.

For five days Mr. Morgan received artificial nourishment, but was unable to assimilate the food. As a result he very rapidly lost strength. For many hours prior to his death he was in a condition of semi-coma, which prevented him from recognizing those about him. His end was without suffering.

It has been suggested that Mr. Morgan's body should be taken to the United States on board a warship.

SEVERAL TOWNS  
APPEAL FOR AIDRivers Are Steadily Rising in  
Southern Indiana.

REPORTS ARE CONFLICTING

Total Number of Fatalities in the State Stands at Fifty-nine—Water Receding in the Northern and Central Portion and Work of Rehabilitating the Devastated Districts Begins.

Indianapolis, April 1.—While Northern and Central Indiana cities were rehabilitating their flood devastated districts the waters disappearing there were tightening their disastrous clutches on southern regions.

The government relief boat Scoto, commanded by Lieutenant Height, United States army, towed a barge load of provisions into Lawrenceburg to find only forty homes there not under water. When the boat proceeded to Aurora conditions were found almost as bad.

Governor Raister, on the appeal of Mount Vernon citizens, ordered out the company of militia stationed there to patrol the town. Leavenworth sent a cry for help.

New Harmony and Evansville reported increased suffering from rising waters, but the mayor of Vincennes telephoned that the water there is falling and, although the property loss is heavy and many flooded portions are segregated by swift currents, it is believed no lives have been lost.

People of Southern Indiana heeded the flood warnings quickly through the fear created by reports from flood swept districts.

Reports of fatalities, where the flood struck unexpectedly, but now is gone, still are conflicting.

Peru's list of nine may stand and with those figures Indiana's loss of life stands at fifty-nine.

Indiana is recovering, outside aid greatly relieving its burdens, and business conditions in Indianapolis are normal, with public utilities completely restored. Some southern towns, believed suffering from rising waters, are cut off from communication, but ample warning has removed much danger of loss of life.

## OHIO RIVER SLOWLY FALLS

Parkersburg, W. Va., Recovering From  
Flood Disaster.

Parkersburg, W. Va., April 1.—This city is recovering from the worst disaster in its history, due to the ravages of the Ohio river. The river is falling slowly. It is now 53 feet. The crest stage, which was reached Saturday night, was 58.9, six feet higher than the 1884 flood.

Parkersburg has been cut off from the outside world by rail since Thursday.

For four days the city has been without water supply, street cars, electric lights, newspapers or mail.

There is only one known casualty thus far, but it is the general opinion that the receding waters will disclose the bodies of people caught in their homes by the rapidly rising water.

In Parkersburg, Belpre and Wood county towns upwards of 3,000 people are homeless.

## CAN HANDLE CRISIS ALONE

Governor Cox Thankful for Aid Fur-  
nished Ohio.

Columbus, O., April 1.—"Refreshed by the tears of the American people Ohio stands ready to meet the crisis alone."

Such was the statement issued by Governor Cox.

"The relief situation, so far as food and clothing are concerned, is in hand. Thankful to her friends who succored her Ohio faces tomorrow serene and confident."

## FLOOD DAMAGE IN MONTANA

Railroads Suffer Because of Melting  
Ice Gorges.

Billings, Mont., April 1.—Traffic east of Billings on the Burlington and Northern Pacific was suspended when floods caused by melting ice gorges in the Big Horn and Yellowstone rivers carried away the tracks. The Burlington track was carried away near the Crow agency and the Northern Pacific lost its track near Custer.

## STUDENTS AND GIRL DROWN

Two Men and Woman Meet Death in  
Canoe Accident.

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 1.—Two men students and a former woman student of the University of Michigan were drowned in a canoe accident on the Huron river here. They were Miss Ella Rydort of Spring Lake, Mich., Henry Bacon of Pontiac, Mich., and Arthur Crandall of Brockton, N. Y. Their canoe had been wrecked in the rapids near a dam above the city.

WALTER H. PAGE.

Editor Accepts Position  
as London Ambassador.

## PAGE ACCEPTS BRITISH POST

Editor Will Be Ambassador to Great  
Britain.

Washington, April 1.—President Wilson probably will fill the majority of the nine ambassadorships now vacant before the beginning of the extra session of congress next Monday.

The president expects to confer with many of his friends during the week and it is believed that when congress convenes nominations for the more important posts will be sent to the senate.

Walter H. Page, editor of World's York and an intimate friend of President Wilson, who has accepted the ambassadorship to Great Britain, will start for London within ten days.

GIRLS HAVE THREE  
AVENUES OF ESCAPEIllinois Vice Commission Secures  
More Testimony.

Chicago, April 1.—Marriage, death or an immoral life are the only avenues of escape for girls from the toll of the "sweat shops," according to testimony of witnesses before the Illinois vice commission.

Lieutenant Governor Barratt O'Hara, chairman of the commission, devoted much time to examining girls and women witnesses from the West Side "sweat shop" district, where wages range from \$2.50 to \$5 a week.

As a result of the stories of hardship and penury told by the witnesses Lieutenant Governor O'Hara agreed with Senator Juhl to give \$1 each to "sweat shop" witnesses, because it was believed that the witnesses would be "doctored" by their employers for the time spent before the commission.

The moral obligation of employers to make certain that all their employees are properly clothed and adequately nourished was emphasized throughout the session of the commission.

Sergeant-at-Arms T. B. Scouten and H. Blair Coan, investigator for the commission, seized the books of Rosenwald & Well, clothing manufacturers, who failed to respond to subpoenas to appear before the commission.

## HEINZE SUES FOR \$975,000

Mrs. John W. Gates One of Defend-  
ants in Stock Deal Action.

New York, April 1.—Mrs. John W. Gates was served with a subpoena in a suit to recover \$975,000 from her, Charles W. Morse, Charles M. Schwab, John H. Flager, Colonel Robert M. Thompson, Isaac Guggenheim and others, representing an alleged loss of Arthur P. Heinz in certain ice stocks.

It is charged the defendants—with the exception of Mrs. Gates, who is sued as administratrix of her husband's estate—induced Heinz to invest in the stock "by false and misleading statements."

He assigned his claim to the Richmond Assets Collection company, which is the plaintiff in the suit.

## ROASTED TO DEATH.

St. Paul, April 1.—Leaving a young widow and a six-weeks-old baby George Murphy died at St. Joseph's hospital from burns sustained while he was pinned in the cab of his engine fast against the hot boiler plate. He was virtually roasted to death before he was released. The locomotive had collided with a freight car.

## L. P. Morton Not So Well.

New York, April 1.—At the residence of former Vice President Levi P. Morton it was said that he had not passed a comfortable night. His physician had been at the bedside of the patient all night. Mr. Morton has been ill several weeks.

WILL PUSH BILL  
ON IMMIGRATIONBackers Think President Wilson  
Will Approve It.

HOLDOVERS WANT TO STICK

Many Republican Officeholders Will Stay as Long as Possible—Office Seekers Fighting Hard—Bench and Old Age Question Stirred Up Again. Dockery Is Feared.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, April 1.—[Special.]—The men who put through the immigration bill with its educational test and who almost passed the bill over the veto of President Taft are going to make a very strong effort to put through just about such a bill during the extra session.

They see no reason why it should not be considered, and they intend to make trouble for the leaders who stand in the way of this legislation. They have no doubt that such a measure as passed last winter will be approved by President Wilson.

Not All Like Wilson. All the Republican officials are not like Huntington Wilson, who peremptorily resigned as first assistant secretary of state because he did not like the president's attitude on dollar diplomacy.

There are quite a number of holdovers who say that the policy of the new administration, no matter how much it may differ from that which appointed them, is not going to cause them to rush out on the cold world. There are a lot of Republicans who are perfectly willing to stay. Some of them have made great efforts to stay, but one by one their places are to be filled.

## Makes Them Shudder.

There are clerks in government service who shudder still at the name Dockery. The former governor, who is now third assistant postmaster general, is down at his desk early every morning. Dockery was once the head of the famous "Dockery commission," which pretty nearly turned the government departments inside out. The clerks were given a shakeup at that time which they will never forget.

## They Wanted Things.

Notwithstanding the statement that President Wilson was not going to devote time to office seekers and notwithstanding the fact that certain cabinet officers said they were too busy to attend to the claims of men seeking office, there was a constant stream of visitors to the White House and to the departments. The fellows who did the fighting "wanted things."

They wanted the places which they thought they had earned. And what was more important, the senators and representatives went to the White House and the departments with these place hunters. They felt in duty bound to do what they could for their party friends. Every new administration is obliged to give time to office seekers.

## "Time and Windup"

"Time and windup" was the statement of referees at those friendly fist encounters, boxing matches, pugilistic athletics or whatever they were called. The idea is suggested by the kind of time that has prevailed in the postoffice department for so, these many years. There is a sort of town clock on top of the building, but it goes crazy most of the time. Then the clocks in the department go all awry, and no one can tell whether it is morning, afternoon or past midnight by some of them.

## Bench and Age.

The elimination of old men for positions as federal judges was started by the senate committee on judiciary a number of years ago when notice was served on the president that old men would not be confirmed. The rule was broken when Justice Lurton was confirmed, but that was because of the pressure by President Taft.

In the last Cleveland administration Edmund W. Pettus of Alabama wanted to be a federal judge. Senator Pugh of that state, then chairman of the judiciary committee, told Pettus that he was too old for a federal judge. Pettus was indignant. "Maybe you think so," he said, "but I'll show you I am not too old to be senator." And he entered the field against Pugh and defeated him. Pettus outlived nearly everybody connected with the transaction.

## Commissioner Neill.

The determination of President Wilson to have C. P. Neill for commissioner of labor in spite of the opposition of southern senators recalls the fact that Neill seems to have a charmed official life. I do not know where Roosevelt found him, but he appointed him to the place. When Taft came in and some of the Roosevelt heads began to fall Neill became somewhat nervous, but he held the place for four years. Now the Democratic administration seems determined to keep him, although there is serious opposition.

## Evidence of Change.

While the senate was in special session there was real evidence of the political change. The Democrats were on hand all the time. Many Republicans were absent. The men who were responsible for the business of the senate attended, while the others slipped away to their homes.

## Accuracy of Statement.

"Have you a good cook?" "A very pious one, but her cooking's diabolical."

W. D. HAYWOOD.

Convicted of Causing  
Unlawful Assemblies.

## SIX MONTHS FOR HAYWOOD

Organizer for Industrial Workers of  
World Convicted.

Paterson, N. J., April 1.—William D. Haywood, organizer for the Industrial Workers of the World, was sentenced to six months in the county jail on conviction of causing unlawful assemblies. He came here in connection with the silk mill workers' strike.

OHIO RIVER SLOWLY  
RISES AT CINCINNATIDirect and Indirect Damage Will  
Be Enormous.

Cincinnati, April 1.—When the Ohio river reaches a stage of 69.7 the crest of the flood at this point will have been reached. The river rose less rapidly than at any time since the yellow flood began its course of destruction.

At points east of here the river already has begun to recede, while to the west there is an appreciable accession to the stage. Reports from down the river are replete with stories of destruction and desolation.

The direct and indirect damage caused by the flooding of the river front section and the low lying residential places will be great. An estimate of the indirect loss can never be made. The direct loss is estimated at more than \$2,000,000.

Relief work, locally, and also in the nearby inundated territory, is more than adequate and a statement was issued by Mayor Hunt that no more supplies were required here and that a surplus existed that is being turned over to the Red Cross authorities for distribution.

Across the river in the several Kentucky cities and towns that practically form one large city conditions still are deplorable. All of them are without lights, the gas and electric lighting plants being compelled to cease operating when the flood waters encroached upon their premises.

## MEAT SOARS IN NEW YORK

Famine Threatened Unless Flood-  
bound Shipments Arrive.

New York, April 1.—The price of meat soared to the highest figures of the year. Indications are that quotations will go still higher.

Dealers say the shortage soon will become acute unless shipments checked by the Ohio and Indiana floods are hurried to the city.

## NEW OMAHA IN SIX MONTHS

Committee Says Rebuilt City Will Be  
More Beautiful, Too.

Omaha, April 1.—A committee of prominent Omaha business men in whose hands the work of restoring the city from the effects of the tornado of March 23 has been placed promised that in six months the devastated district would be rebuilt and would be much more beautiful from a civic standpoint. Contributions from all cities are being gratefully received and are distributed where they will do the most good.

The following was compiled by the Commercial club and is given out as authentic:

The known dead in Omaha and immediate suburbs totals 136; the injured number 402, while many sustained minor bruises; 1,700 homes were entirely destroyed or badly wrecked.

## MOUNDS CITY ASKS FOR AID

Water Near Top of Levee and Danger  
Imminent.

Springfield, Ill., April 1.—Adjutant General Dickson received the following message from Mound City:

"The water of the Ohio river is near the top of the levee. The danger is very imminent and pressing. We appeal for immediate help. Send 10,000 sacks and two companies of militia."

In response to this appeal, the adjutant general ordered Company F, Fifth Infantry, Danville, and Company H, Shelbyville, Fourth Infantry, to proceed at once to Mound City.

ONE LEVEE AT  
CAIRO BREAKS

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## MAY ABOLISH COMMISSION

Committee Favors Change in Minne-  
sota State Printing.

St. Paul, April 1.—Wiping out of the state printing commission is recommended in a report presented to the house by the committee on public accounts and expenditures which has been investigating the method of handling state printing. It finds that the commission, which consists of the state auditor, state treasurer and secretary of state, is not able to give the work careful attention. The committee recommends that the printing matter be handled by the state board of control and that the state expert printer be made an employee of that board. A bill embodying this plan was introduced by the committee.

The house after a spirited debate voted to pass the labor committee's bill prohibiting employment agencies from receiving fees from common laborers for obtaining positions for such workmen. Under the measure employers would have to pay the fees.

## REBELS TO ASK ANNEXATION

Sonora Congressman En Route to  
Washington.

El Paso, Tex., April 1.—Annexation to the United States is sought by certain factions of revolutionary leaders in Sonora, the Northwestern Mexican border state practically in control of insurgent state troops.

Ignacio Bonillas, a Sonora state congressman, said to be the leader of the movement, is now on his way to Washington to confer with officials of the department of state and interior regarding the plan.

## Funeral of James McCrea.

Philadelphia, April 1.—The funeral of James McCrea, former president of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, was held at Ardmore, near here, his late home. Among the honorary pallbearers were Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, and George F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad.

## INCENDIARY IS SENTENCED

Winnipeg Prisoner Still Faces Trial  
for Manslaughter.

Winnipeg, April 1.—James Dodds, a Scotch sign painter, who came to Canada six years ago, was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary. He was found guilty of arson at a trial held after he had confessed to the starting of ninety-two fires in Winnipeg and St. Boniface in the last year, causing heavy loss of property and loss of seven lives. He has yet to be tried for manslaughter.

## GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, April 1.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.75@8.50; cows and heifers, \$4.50@7.00; calves, \$4.25@8.00; feeders, \$4.50@7.75. Hogs—\$8.80@9.95. Sheep—Lamb, \$4.50@8.00; wethers, \$4.50@6.10; ewes, \$2.25@5.75.

## Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, April 1.—Wheat—To arrive on track—No. 1 hard, 85¢@86¢; No. 1 Northern, 84¢@85¢; No. 2 Northern, 81¢@83¢; May, 86¢@87¢; July, 88¢@89¢. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.23½; May, \$1.24; July, \$1.26½.

## Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, April 1.—Wheat—May, 90½¢@90¾¢; July, 89½¢@89¾¢; Sept., 89½¢. Corn—May, 53¢; July, 54¢@54½¢; Sept., 55¢. Oats—May, 34¢; July, 33¢; Sept., 33½¢@34¢. Pork—May, \$20.60; July, \$20.37. Butter—Creameries, 28¢@28½¢. Eggs—16½¢@17½¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 18¢; chickens, 18¢; springs, 17½¢.

## Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 1.—Cattle—Beef, \$7.00@9.10; Texas steers, \$6.00@8.00; Western steers, \$6.85@8.10; stockers and feeders, \$6.00@8.00; cows and heifers, \$3.60@7.85; calves, \$6.00@9.00. Hogs—Light, \$9.10@9.45; mixed, \$8.95@9.40; heavy, \$8.70@9.30; rough, \$8.70@8.85; pigs, \$7.00@9.20. Sheep—Native, \$5.90@6.75; yearlings, \$6.85@7.85; lambs, \$6.90@8.75.

## Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, April 1.—Wheat—May, 85¢; July, 86¢. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 87¢; No. 1 Northern, 83¢@86¢; to arrive, 85¢@86¢; No. 2 Northern, 83¢@84¢; No. 3 Northern, 81¢@82½¢; No. 3 yellow corn, 48½¢; No. 4 corn, 46¢@47½¢; No. 3 white oats, 30½¢@31¢; to arrive, 30¢; No. 3 oats, 27½¢@29¢; barley, 40¢@46¢; flax, \$1.23½; to arrive, \$1.23½.

Another One May Have Gone  
Out Further South.

## STRONG CURRENT IS RUNNING

Situation at Illinois Town Has Been Steadily Growing More Desperate, but the Increased Swiftness of the Stream Gives Rise to Hope That Serious Danger May Be Averted.

Cairo, Ill., April 1.—One of  
the levees has broken here.Cairo, Ill., April 1.—Inhabitants of  
Cairo took up renewed hope for the  
safety of their city. A strong cur-  
rent came up in the Ohio river and  
this gave rise to the opinion that  
something had given way south of  
here and that the situation, which  
had been growing more and more de-  
perate, had been relieved.

The levee is holding strong, though the water has been creeping steadily upward.

Every one in the city appears under a nervous strain, which was intensified when a report reached here that the levee had broken at Shawneetown, Ill. R. T. Lindley, in charge of the government work, discredits the report.

The water level stands now higher than the most elevated street level at Cairo. Further up, at Bridge Junction, the water has crept dangerously near the top of the levee and thousands upon thousands of sacks of sand have been placed to hold it in check.

The weather here is fine and indications are that it will remain so. Fear is felt over the drinking water supply, which is decidedly bad.

At Mounds, about twelve miles above Cairo, hundreds of refugees arrived. Most of these left Cairo in wagons, taking with them trunks, household goods and in some instances chickens and pigs.

Hundreds of persons have left Cairo and many more are preparing to do so.

For several miles along the railroad tracks north hundreds of laborers are filling sacks with sand. These are placed on flat cars and started with all speed toward the levees.

Soldiers have been pressed into other than military duty. They are placing the sand bags and also are putting braces against boards placed along the river side of the railroad tracks. Many carloads of heavy clay have been placed back of these.

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## LEVEE AT BREAKING POINT

Situation at Shawneetown Becomes  
Very Serious.

Springfield, Ill., April 1.—The seriousness of the flood situation at Shawneetown was indicated when Governor Dunne and Adjutant General Dickson received telegrams from Assistant Adjutant General Shand, who is in personal charge of the situation at that point, as follows:

"Warning notices signed by the chairman of the local committee, Lang, and myself, have been sent to every house in the city for all women and children to leave the city until the crisis is over. The water is rising very fast."

Colonel Lang is commander of the Fourth infantry, a portion of which is stationed at Shawneetown.

## WABASH ELEVEN MILES WIDE

Stops Baltimore and Ohio Trains to  
Vincennes, Ind.

Flora, Ill., April 1.—Passengers arriving on a late Baltimore and Ohio train from Lawrenceville, Ill., said the Wabash river between Lawrenceville and Vincennes, Ind., was eleven miles wide.

The Baltimore and Ohio trains go no further east from here than Lawrenceville and south to Barnhill, where the Skillet river, normally a mere creek, is seven miles wide. Barnhill is thirty miles south of this town.

## CARRANZA VERY AMBITIOUS

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dent of Mexico.

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Temperature record taken at Gull  
lake dam, by caretaker, Arthur L.  
Mampel.  
March 31, maximum 51 above,  
minimum 28 above. Rainfall .11  
inches.

Anyhow, Tuesday was April fools  
day and the defeated candidates can  
take it as a good joke.

The new gas plant at Little Falls  
expects to be in working operation  
by July 4th and the gentleman who  
was granted the franchise by the city  
council informs the people that work  
will be started as soon as the frost is  
out of the ground.

This is a short month for the  
president and he only received  
\$5,625 when he got his pay check  
from the treasury department Mon-  
day night, which covered his services  
from March 4th to the end of the  
month. On pay day hereafter Pres-  
ident Wilson will receive \$6,250, a  
full month's proportion of his \$75,-  
000 annual stipend.

Along with the state game and fish  
commission the state printing com-  
mission is also assailed by the house  
committee and a recommendation  
that it also be abolished has been  
turned in. What a lot of uneasy  
officials there must be around the  
state capitol and what a sigh of re-  
lief will go up when the legislature  
of 1913 stands adjourned.

The state highway commission has  
made a distribution of the \$350,000,  
road and bridge fund, which if di-  
vided evenly among the 86 counties  
would have given each \$4,070. Popu-  
lation, assessed valuation and the  
interest manifested in the good roads  
proposition was taken into account  
and the different counties received  
from \$2,500 to \$10,000 each. Hen-  
pin, Ramsey, and St. Louis being in  
the latter class. Winona received  
\$8,000, Blue Earth \$7,000 and Bel-  
trami and Koochiching were voted  
\$5,500 each because of their large  
area and the extent of state lands  
exempt from taxation, and Itasca  
was given \$6,500 for the same rea-  
son. Crow Wing county received

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vide, while Cass county was given  
\$4,500 and Morrison \$4,000. The  
fund was \$10,000 larger than in  
1912.

**LOCAL NEWS NOTES**

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goods with D. M. Clark & Co.—Adv.  
John Kregelberg went to Minne-  
apolis today.

Miss Mary Bishop went to St. Paul  
this afternoon.  
Joseph Herbst of Riverton, was in  
the city today.

Jacob Goldberg went to Minneapo-  
lis this afternoon.  
Mrs. C. P. McLean went to St. Paul  
yesterday afternoon.

Order your wall paper early from  
D. M. Clark & Co.—Adv. 249tf  
Mrs. A. J. Mueller and children are  
visiting in Minneapolis.

W. J. Sullivan of Crosby, was a  
Brainerd business visitor yesterday.

Mrs. A. J. Winters and little daugh-  
ter went to Sauk Center today to  
visit relatives.

For SPRING WATER Phone 269R.  
—Adv. 244tf

Mrs. F. C. Peterson will leave next  
week for Woodlawn, Illinois, for a  
visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Beale re-  
turned last night from Duluth where  
they attended the state Sunday  
school convention.

Charles and Sam Framling of  
Southeast Brainerd expect to go to  
San Francisco this evening, return-  
ing some time in June.

For ice cream phone Turner Bros.  
—Adv. 247

The ladies Aid society of the Metho-  
dist church will meet Wednesday af-  
ternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H.  
Warner, 203 Ash avenue.

The Misses Ethel and Gertrude  
Brown and Marie Sullivan, guests of  
friends in Crosby, returned yester-  
day to their home in Little Falls.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Peo-  
ples Congregational church will meet  
with Mrs. Forsberg, 503 Pine street,  
Northeast, on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White have  
returned from Crosby where Mr.  
White has been singing and Mrs.  
White playing in the Empress the-  
ater.

For furniture and stove bargains  
see D. M. Clark's display windows.  
—Adv. 224tf

Mrs. Andrew Swanson, mother of  
County Attorney G. S. Swanson, was  
operated on this morning at the  
Northern Pacific sanatorium by Drs.  
Ides and Taabes.

A. M. Opsahl has enlarged a kodak  
picture showing the farm of Dee  
Holden and about the Backus place  
stand Mons Mahlum, Dee Holden, C.  
H. Paine and Henry McGinn.

Attorney C. A. Russell went to St.  
Paul today to resume with Congress-  
man-at-large Manahan the grain in-  
vestigation carried on by them for the  
legislative committee of the house.

Muresco Sanitary Wall finish is  
sold only by D. M. Clark & Co.—  
Adv. 249tf

Mrs. Beckett, Mrs. Cross, Mrs. Nic-  
olls, Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Con-  
nor, Miss Mason and Mrs. Ames of  
Staples, are the guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. C. O. Field and Mr. and Mrs. C.  
J. Duffy.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid so-  
ciety will meet with Mrs. Moerke,  
315 N. 9th street on Wednesday af-  
ternoon, April 2nd. Quarterly re-  
ports are due. A large attendance is  
requested.

Mrs. Henry J. Miller, of Ironton,  
was a Brainerd visitor today. Mr.  
and Mrs. Miller own farm land near  
the Mississippi south of the Dr. J. L.  
Camp farm which has two drills ex-  
ploring for ore.

For house moving and general car-  
penter work, call on B. W. Barbeau,  
phone 227-W.—Adv. 252tf

Mose DeRoche, Jr., has received  
the largest Elk's head ever seen in  
Brainerd. Many admired the head  
as it lay at the freight depot. It is  
said to be a splendid specimen and  
one worth a lot of money.

Miss Marjorie Towle of Minneapo-  
lis, is the guest of her sister, Mrs.  
Frank G. Hall. Miss Bessie Wieland  
entertains for her this afternoon and  
Mrs. Howard G. Ingersoll entertains  
for her tomorrow afternoon.

John M. Frederick and Miss Dora  
Schumaker were married at Ottertail  
March 27. They have just returned  
and will go to housekeeping on  
Southeast Pine street. The Dispatch  
extends its best wishes to the couple.

Awnings put up by D. M. Clark  
& Co.—Adv. 241tf

Frederick Joseph Soumier, aged  
three and one-half years, son of Mr.  
and Mrs. Joseph Soumier, died of  
pneumonia Sunday morning and the  
funeral was held this morning from  
St. Francis Catholic church, Rev.  
Father Crean officiating.

I. U. White, who has been sick for  
some time, is able to be at the store  
again. He has partly recovered  
from his indisposition, and now in  
turn has been visited by a carbuncle  
on his left hand. "Oh! it's just one  
thing after another," said Mr. White.

Farm loans for farms by a farmer.  
R. R. Livingston, Telephone 414-3.  
—Adv. 173d-1wtf

Alderman James M. Elder has re-  
ceived a copy of a newspaper from his  
old Kentucky home. It's a 98 page  
edition of the Louisville Courier  
Journal and Louisville Times featur-  
ing city, state and southland devel-



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Passac, an Indian Chief ..... Knute Hahn  
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Young Herbert I. Lowe and His Motor  
Truck Did Valiant Service in  
Rescue Work

"The tremendous force of that rolling, twisting monster as it cleaved a swath some ten blocks wide through the city of Omaha and fully 15 miles long and not leaving the earth's surface once, can only be described by comparing it with a hundred of more locomotives tearing down abreast of each other, taking everything along in front of them and every one with a safety valve wide open, hissing and pouring out steam to their full capacity," is the vivid way in which Herbert I. Lowe, a former Brainerd boy and the son of George E. Lowe, yard foreman of the Northern Pacific railway in this city, describes the cyclone which struck Omaha and buried a large section of that western city in ruins.

And young Lowe did valiant service. Operating his motor truck he went about on his mission of rescue and assistance, pulling the fire department truck out of the hole, carrying people out of burning houses, patching up the wounded. No thought of the heroic entered his mind. He just kept his motor truck going and worked right through the calamity.

At Omaha as well as at Dayton has been well demonstrated the worth of a serviceable motor truck with a cool headed man to manage it. Mr. Lowe's letter states:

"I am mighty glad I am well and happy and not one of the victims of the disaster which passed over our city last Sunday. It was such a dreadful calamity one hardly likes to talk about it, after seeing as much of it as I did. I had worked awful hard all day Sunday and was just coming home when I witnessed a very bad accident a friend of mine had with a car, splitting a car nearly into two pieces by colliding with a telegraph pole.

I went back, changed clothes and got out a truck and got the car in off the street and it was raining pitch forks all the while.

I had no sooner got done when the cyclone struck out west of the snop. The fire department came by and got stuck near our place so I pulled out again and took them out to the fire. Then I went into the blazing district and helped rescue Mrs. Sullivan whom we found buried under about half the house.

All those fine mansions out in the western portion of the city are ruined, even Joslyn's million dollar place is a heap of ruins. It sure scattered death wherever it touched and the suffering was most terrible as you will see from a little description of what I did next morning. I got in at 10:30 P. M. Sunday night drenched, cold and tired. Next morning I got up bright and early along with Billie to find his sister whom we located at one of her friend's houses. He left me to help his other sister pick up her things as their home was demolished and Billie and 19 others escaped with their lives by getting into a storm cellar built near the house.

I went to the rescue work south-east of town where they had no aid or assistance of any kind, being cut off from town all night long in every way. When I drew up in front of the drug store at 49th and Leavenworth streets, they had a load for the hospital. I hurried these off to the Wise Memorial, then went back and picked up the druggist and we went out into the country farther to a house filled with victims. We had to get busy and wash out some bad cuts and gashes, before we could bandage them up and move them.

Men, women and children with broken arms, legs and big pieces of flesh torn from their bodies were everywhere. Oh! it was a terrible sight and the suffering was fierce. People who have never seen anything in that order cannot begin to realize what it really is. I hope I shall never

or be anywhere near one again. There were quite a number burned alive.

It was as warm as a July day just before the storm. After the storm and rain passed it started to blow from the north and it got very cold. The path of the storm was from southwest to northeast. Millions upon millions of dollars worth of property was destroyed.

Billie and his folks are all well. Ann's sister's home was destroyed at 22nd and Lake streets. Nobody was hurt and they had cyclone insurance.

I have not got over the effects of it yet, having worked so hard and getting so cold and wet. I just felt that it was my place as a man to get out and help, having such good resources to draw from as a motor truck.

I was sorry to think you were worried so, but I did not feel like doing anything after it was all over. We are filled to the brim with damaged cars and the big electric garage at 40th and Farman streets was totally wrecked and it was filled with Packard gas cars and electrics. We have pulled a few out already."

Accompanying his letter were a half dozen views of some of the scenes of disaster occasioned by the cyclone. They are very interesting and Mr. Lowe is showing them to many of his friends.

**AFTER GAS FRANCHISE**

E. E. Collins Circulating Petition for  
Franchise to Establish a Gas  
Plant in City

E. E. Collins, of Iowa, who recently secured a gas plant franchise in Little Falls, is circulating a petition in Brainerd to establish a similar plant here.

Mr. Collins, in addition to paying his regular taxes, offers to pay to the city, if allowed to establish a plant, two per cent on the gross output up to 12,000,000 cubic feet and three per cent on all over 12,000,000 feet. He will furnish gas for cooking, heating or fuel purposes at \$1.35 per 1,000 cubic feet.

He will agree to sell the plant at any time, the same to be appraised by three men, one selected by the city, one by himself and one by the first two mentioned.

**BOHEMIAN CLUB ELECTS**

C. B. Stickney Elected President at  
the Annual Meeting of the  
Organization

The Bohemian club held its annual election of officers and the following were selected to guide the destinies of this popular organization for the ensuing term:

President—C. B. Stickney.  
Vice-President—R. E. Clark.  
Secretary—K. B. Ribbel.  
Treasurer—A. C. Mraz.  
Musician—W. Frampton.  
Trustee for three years—W. Turcotte.

**Miss Parks Married**

The Pioneer Press contains the following regarding the wedding of a former Brainerd girl:

The wedding of Miss Ima Parks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Parks, 1694 Van Buren street, Hamline, to Arthur G. Luedeman took place last evening at the residence of her parents. Rev. B. Scott Bates performed the ceremony. Alfred Luedeman was his brother's best man and Miss Ethel Harrison the bride's only attendant.

The ceremony took place before an improvised bower of palms and lilies which had been erected in the living room. The bridal music was played by the Misses Dora and Rose Schattgen. The Misses Mabelle Morrison and Rose Flaherty of Minneapolis stretched ribbons to form an aisle for the bridal procession and little Maxine Lawrence of Grand Forks, N. D., was flower girl. The bride entered on the arm of her father. She wore a beautiful gown of ivory tulle trimmed with points lace and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley made in shower effect. The maid of honor wore pink chiffon over crepe meteor, caught by sprays of pink rosebuds, and carried a shower bouquet of sweet peas. A reception followed the ceremony at which the following assisted in receiving: Mesdames J. E. Hurd and John Thompson of Minneapolis; W. E. Arnold of St. Paul, and the Misses Gladys Leisner, Jewel Finney, Gladys Ackerman and Nettie Morrison. In the dining room pink was used as the color note in the decorative scheme and the centerpiece for the bride's table was a large basket of pink roses and smilax. Red tulips were used effectively in the reception room. Mrs. Harry Lawrence and daughter of Grand Forks, N. D., were among the out of town guests at the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Luedeman after a short wedding trip, will be at home after June 1 at Eastshore Park, White Bear lake. On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Parks entertained the bridal party at their home. A buffet supper was served and the decorations were carried out in pink and green.

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**SCHOOL DISTRICT  
DIVISION TAKEN UP**

Large Delegations From Crosby and  
Ironton Appear Before County  
Commissioners Today

**THE QUESTION IS THRESHED OUT**

Ironton Wants to Break From Dist.  
51 and Form an Independent  
School District

Brainerd was visited by large delegations from Crosby and Ironton today who took up with the county commissioners matters in school district No. 51 which embraces Crosby and Ironton.

Ironton has filed a petition to break away from the district and form its own independent district. The Ironton men favored this plan of action and the Crosby delegation opposed it.

It seemed that the most prominent mining and business men of both towns had descended en masse upon Brainerd. The Crosby people included H. J. Kruse, superintendent of the Rogers, Brown Ore Co.; Ben A. Mizen, Will S. Pitt, B. B. Gaylord, E. W. Hallett, Charles S. Roulo, E. Loydahl, Herman Lefkovitz, Village Attorney A. W. Uhl, Dr. R. J. Sewall, M. F. Crosby and others.

The Ironton delegation included Judge Primus D. Krellter, Ed. Syverson, Ed. Krueger, Carl Dandrea, Howard Olts, Erick Olson, George Kilder, Frank Johnson, John Mattson, Frank Patrick, Robert Lundholm, F. E. Chase, E. A. Lamb, P. E. Hurd, William Kast, M. B. Ellingson, and others.

P. E. Hurd had just returned from the hospital at Shakopee, but when he found that Ironton needed his services he braced up and went along with the rest of the crowd.

It is not known what the commissioners will do. They may decide the matter at the afternoon meeting as soon as they hear the spokesmen on both sides or they may defer action.

**RAILWAY WRECK PICTURES**

Scenes on the Illinois Central and  
Harriman Systems to be Shown  
at the Grand

The committee of machinists and boiler-makers of the shops announces that on Wednesday evening, April 2, a number of slides will be shown in the Grand theater depicting wrecks on the Illinois Central and Harriman systems, also showing conditions under which the strikers endure.

These slides have been procured from the Illinois Central system federation strikers. Photographed and then hand painted, they stand out prominently when thrown on the screen.

The management of the Grand theater has been kind enough to donate the proceeds of the shows for that evening to the strikers of these systems.

"It is now up to you to attend and help the good cause along," says the committee.

These slides will be in addition to the regular show. Come early and avoid the rush. The current prices will prevail.

**MUSIC AND DRAMA**

**"The Great Divide"**

The Daily Northwestern of Oshkosh, Wis., of March 24, has the following to say of "The Great Divide," which appears at the Brainerd opera house tonight:

"The Great Divide," that thrilling romance of the west and the east, was presented at the Grand opera house Sunday afternoon and evening, to packed houses. The Primrose company is a strong one and the applause accorded it was hearty and generous. Miss Allyn, in the part of Ruth Jordan, proved herself an emotional actress of marked ability. Mr. Harper, who took the difficult and heroic part of Stephen Ghent, was also admirable. The production was staged in a thorough manner.

**ROAD MATTERS UP**

Brainerd-Aitkin Road Brings Crosby,  
Cuyuna, Ironton and Deer-  
wood People to Town

In addition to the school district matter before the county commissioners there was another vital subject before the commissioners, that of the location of the state highway from Brainerd to Aitkin. Some wish it to extend through Crosby to the north of the Northern Pacific railway tracks and others want it to run south of the tracks and touching Deerwood.

Among the Deerwood people in town were Mayor C. C. Adams, Judge J. T. Hale, Secretary of the Commercial club Charles G. Osterlund, Olson Skau, E. A. Lamb and others.

**STATE AND LOCAL NEWS ITEMS**

Gleaned From Our Bright Exchanges  
and Boiled Down for the Benefit  
of Dispatch Readers

Delano's pickle factory will operate again this season.

The Cass county fair dates have been fixed for Sept. 25, 28 and 27.

The chicken thief is making St. Cloud suburban residents nervous.

Of the 230 members of the Graceville commercial club 130 are farmers.

Col. and Miss Potter have returned to Aitkin from a trip to the Panama canal.

The championship of Minnesota is claimed by the Staples basket ball team.

John McDonald, a bar tender, was shot down at Deer River by Herman Maki.

The third annual Morrison county fair have fixed dates for Sept. 16, 17 and 18.

Little Falls has granted a gas franchise to E. E. Collins by a unanimous vote of the city council.

At Warroad last month \$3,500 was paid out for furs to trappers. Last year \$12,000 was paid out for the same product.

The Perham rural telephone company will add 90 new phones to its line this spring, and will make a 100 mile extension.

Thomas Hooker, an old time Northern Pacific railway engineer, died at St. Paul and was buried at Staples under Masonic rites.

Farm improvements in the county immediately tributary to Long Prairie will exceed \$100,000 this year, according to the Leader.

The Indians around Walker are buying horses and building material with their money instead of spending it for bootleg whiskey, and propose to do some farming.

Leigh Cary, former city editor of the Little Falls Transcript and later of the St. Cloud Times, has been chosen as Judge Taylor's private secretary and will go to St. Paul.

Grand Forks housewives have formed a league and have decided to go to market with baskets on their arm instead of ordering by telephone, the idea being to reduce the high cost of living. The cost of delivery and a system of credit is eliminated where people go to market with a basket.

Floren Townsend, a Backus youth, was caught in the act of rifling a cash register at Little Falls. The youth is also charged with entering the store of J. W. Bailey twice and the depot three times, at Backus, each time committing burglary, but that the crime could not be proven. The Backus people rest easier now that he is in custody.

**DEANERY MEETING**

Fifteen Delegates Attending Con-  
vention of Episcopal Church  
in This City

A meeting of the deanery of the Mississippi valley district of the Episcopal church is being held at the local church today and 15 delegates are in attendance.

This evening Rev. F. Durant of Hibbing will deliver a sermon at the evening services in the church.

**DISPATCH FUND  
STILL GROWING**

The contributors:

A. O. U. W. lodge No. 47 ----- \$25.00  
B. A. Y. Homestead No. 602 -- 10.00  
Childrens Hour ----- 3.00  
Judge G. W. Holland ----- 25.00  
Empress theater benefit ----- 25.45

The Empress theater this morning handed in its check for \$25.45, being the net proceeds of the benefit performance given last evening. The popular moving picture theater entertained large crowds of patrons who were well satisfied with the splendid bill offered. Films of the latest in the moving picture world were shown and in addition Brainerd's singer, Al Mraz, sang two songs. Manager J. B. Schmit is to be commended for the work he has done to aid the flood sufferers at Dayton and vicinity.

The Grand theater will give its benefit performance next Monday evening, April 7.

The donation of \$10 made by Brainerd Homestead No. 602 Brotherhood of American Yoemen, is reported in the list of contributions, but to date the check has not been received at the Dispatch office. The lodge, at its Friday night meeting, ordered the donation made.

The other contributions have been sent out as follows: Workman \$25 check on Saturday, March 29. The Children's Hour \$3 and Judge G. W. Holland \$25 checks on Monday, March 31. The Empress \$25.45 check on Tuesday, April 1.

All checks should be made payable to Governor J. M. Cox, who is governor of Ohio and also president for the Red Cross society of that state. The governor will see that the money is expended where relief is most needed. In addition the Dispatch has written for receipts of all moneys sent.

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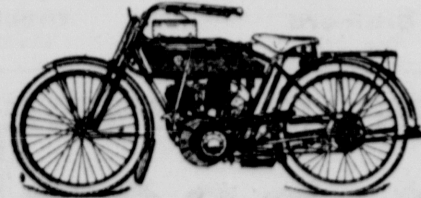
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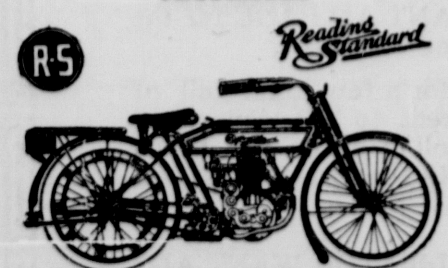
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## DEAN LAKE NEWS

Mrs. L. A. Fuhore called at the Keim home Thursday.

Mrs. Benson was an Aitkin shopper Saturday.

Mrs. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Wagner and Henry Wagner were visiting at the Ellis home Sunday.

Hello Benson! How do you like hauling fence posts with oxen?

Mr. Gust and August Wenzel were in Aitkin Saturday.

Mrs. P. J. Wagner and sons Peter and Henry were Aitkin shoppers Tuesday.

Miss Cordella Keim went to Fuhore's Thursday and returned Sunday evening.

School was closed on Friday and Monday in Dist. 90.

Mrs. A. J. Keim and daughters Josie and Lovena called at Fuhore's Sunday.

OLD BATCH.

## ROSS LAKE RIPPLES

James Woodson, George Keeler and Peter Johnson went to Aitkin Sunday.

Harry Keeler and Irl Brown attended the dance given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Merritt.

Mary Johnson returned Wednesday from a visit at International Falls.

Peter Johnson purchased a new tubular separator recently.

James Toudt went to Aitkin on Tuesday and returned Wednesday.

Mrs. E. E. Day sold a cow last week for \$45.

William Keeler went to Brainerd last Thursday to remain over Easter with friends.

Miss Islay Simpson came home from Fleming Lake to spend a few days.

## BABY LOVES ZEMO FOR SKIN TROUBLE

**Stops Itching at Once. Cures Irritated, Chapped Skin**

**Buy a 25c Bottle Today and Prove It**

Try one application of ZEMO on the baby, and see the poor little fellow jubilate with his toes, and chuckle. If he could only talk, he'd thank you for the heavenly relief. ZEMO is guaranteed to stop itching immediately or money is refunded.

For rash, tetter, and all the skin troubles that babies suffer, ZEMO has no equal.

For the skin troubles that men and women suffer, for all the itching, raw, scorching eczema, dandruff, inflamed or reddened skin, it has proven its astonishing results in thousands of cases. The immediate relief it gives is almost heavenly. ZEMO is a clean, antiseptic solution applied to the skin; no oily paste or ointment. "My feet would scald and crack into the blood. Could hardly walk. Tried one bottle of ZEMO, 25c, and it cured them." F. W. Flowers, Jeweler, Oakdale, Va.

ZEMO is sold in 25c sealed bottles and guaranteed in Brainerd by Johnson's Pharmacy.—Adv't.

## Best Known Cough Remedy

For forty-three years Dr. King's New Discovery has been known throughout the world as the most reliable cough remedy. Over three million bottles were used last year, isn't this proof? It will get rid of your cough, or we will refund your money. J. J. Owens, of Allendale, S. C., writes the way hundreds of others have done. "After 20 years I find that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds that I have ever used." For coughs or colds and all throat and lung troubles, it has no equal. 50c and \$1.00 at H. P. Dunn's.—Adv't.

## BARROWS

C. S. Mason, of the Mason Cedar Co., will put a lumberyard in Barrows. He has a large yard at Palsade.

A Methodist church was organized by Rev. E. E. Satterlee of Brainerd, and a building will be erected in the spring. The townsite company has donated a site.

Material is arriving for the Peck building.

People are arriving every day and clamoring for houses.

The townsite company will soon build ten more houses, of two story seven room construction and provided with ample porches.

## NORTH MINNESOTA WELL ADVERTISED

Northern Pacific and Minnesota & International Railways Issue  
50 Page Booklet Giving

## ITS AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES

Cover and Contents Embellished With Many Scenes from Crow Wing County

The Northern Pacific and the Minnesota & International railways have recently issued a 50 page booklet devoted to Northern Minnesota and describing the agricultural resources of this coming section of the state.

The cover and many of the pages are embellished with scenes from Crow Wing county. The cover is printed in two colors and on the first page of the cover design is a large picture of two haystacks carrying heavy loads of the new mown hay. This and many of the other Crow Wing county pictures mentioned were taken by the photographer engaged by the Brainerd Commercial club to illustrate its booklet boosting Crow Wing county. Smaller pictures above show the silo on James M. Elder's farm east of the city and cattle grazing on the Con O'Brien farm. On the back page of the cover is a large view of Fred H. Gruenhagen's farm on the South 13th Street road. It shows plainly his new silo and barn, the residence and other buildings, windmill, etc. Above and below are smaller pictures revealing views of farm life, the tall end picture a bunch of porkers feeding at a trough.

Studying the pages of this publication makes a man proud of his home state. And place one of these booklets in the hands of a tenant farmer of Iowa, Illinois or Wisconsin and he will come forthwith to Minnesota. Reviewing the pages of this booklet brings back the breath of the new mown hay, the scenes of planting and threshing and harvesting. Show that book to the man in a stuffy office chained to his desk and it will be a powerful stimulant to start the "back to the farm" movement.

One sees large corn fields and Minnesota, by the way, produced 99,000,000 bushels last year. Nestled in the woods is the log house home of the pioneer in the Rainy River country. The tall pines stand out distinctly etched against the clear sky. Smoke curls from the chimney of the cottage and the little clearing attests to the energy of its owner. The cordwood gained by clearing the land helps the income. Clearing land by dynamite shows what this explosive can do to shake stumps out of their resting places. The pictures shown include plowing in the Red River valley; Koochiching corn; harvesting barley; a pretty farm in Aitkin county; a corn field near Brainerd; scenes at Blackduck; silo and barn; good roads and the moral they convey in the shape of big loads easily hauled; wheat fields; fodder corn for a silo in St. Louis county; clover alfalfa and buckwheat fields; glimpse of a field of freshly turned soil; planting potatoes on James M. Elder's farm near Brainerd; apple trees in Cass county; rutabagas on the Jean du Luth farm near Duluth; short horn bull, livestock, Guernsey bull and James M. Elder's pure bred Northern Minnesota Shropshire; scene of fine cows on W. W. Michael's farm near Brainerd; an Aitkin county scene of cattle; Pieterje Maid Ormsby, the Holstein cow holding the seven and thirty day milk and butter records; views of the stockyards at Staples; breakfast bacon to come, growing on James M. Elder's model farm near Brainerd; picture of sheep on the Elder farm; horses on a Chicago county farm; barred Plymouth Rocks chickens; Cedar lake near Aitkin; timothy and clover on a logged-off farm before removing the stumps picture of turkeys, and Minnesota, by the way, raises more than 1,000,000 annually; an Aitkin county berry farm which raised \$750 in raspberries on two and one half acres; a spruce and balsam meadow showing timothy hand sowed and growing without cultivation; views in and around Red Lake Falls and picking cherries, apples and strawberries there; an Aitkin county onion field; a natural, wild meadow with its new mown hay; a Minnesota trout stream. Study the pictures and the reading matter and Mr. Farmer, if you're looking for a location you can't do better than pick out northern Minnesota for your home. The crops can be raised and the markets are here. Settlers are coming in daily this spring.

In its "Invitation from Minnesota" the publication states: "Although settlement has been rapid in Minnesota during the past few years, land values in this state, owing to the absence of real estate booms, are still conservative, and it is doubtful if as good land can be purchased elsewhere in the United States at the present time for as little money. Minnesota land should appeal to all classes of buyers, including the real estate investor, the well-to-do farmer, the farmer or renter who is looking for low-priced land, or the renter or man of moderate means who is looking for good but unimproved land which he can make more valuable through the labor of himself and his family.

Minnesota. It is confidently predicted, will develop faster along agricultural lines during the next ten years than will any other state in the Mississippi valley. In fact, this great progress is already taking place. Her agricultural interests are diversified to such an extent that prosperity is assured every year to her people. The best evidence of this fact was found in the panic year of 1907, which paralyzed conditions in many sections of the United States, but was scarcely noticed in the Northwest.

Minnesota farmers as a class are very prosperous and progressive. Nearly all nationalities are represented in her farm population, and most of her farmers have been recruited from older agricultural states, where the venturesome saw an opportunity to sell out their farms and purchase new and more fertile land in Minnesota for less money. Those who have come to Minnesota within the past ten years have reaped a very comfortable harvest in the increased valuation of their lands, although it can truthfully be stated that the same opportunity for wise investment still exists.

Just the plain facts concerning the agricultural resources of Minnesota are given. These facts are conservatively stated and will be borne out upon investigation. During the past season of 1912, Minnesota harvested, probably, the most bountiful crop in the history of the Northwest. There has never existed a better opportunity for studying the soil possibilities of the state. While the crop yields during this season were so bountiful in many cases that the mere truth seems too marvelous to believe, it should be remembered that Minnesota raises satisfactory crops EVERY year, and is one of those states where the truth need never be distorted for the benefit of the land-buying public.

Of interest are the personal experiences of Minnesota farmers detailed in letters addressed to Mr. L. J. Bricker, general immigration agent of the Northern Pacific railway.

W. B. Jones of Sylvan whose farm is a few miles west of Brainerd along the Northern Pacific railway in his communication dated October 21, 1912, says: "Oats this year have yielded from 30 to 60 bushels an acre; clover seed 3 bushels an acre; potatoes 200 bushels; flax 14 bushels; wheat 25 bushels; corn 40 bushels; onions 500 bushels; hay a ton and a half, an acre. Land prices are advancing very fast and land has doubled in value here in the last ten years. Population is increasing the valuation of stock and land; there are double the number of children going to school in Cass county than were five years ago.

We have a new creamery, built in May, which has all it can do to take care of the cream. If settlers keep coming the land will double in price in the next five years. This is a good healthy country, with plenty of pure water and all kinds of fish and game. We have a good class of new settlers, who are pleased with the country and are bringing their old neighbors here to buy more land. It will not be long before our lands will sell for \$40 or \$50 an acre."

Hauge Brothers, of Pine River, situated about 30 miles north of Brainerd, along the Minnesota & International railway, write: "We came here in the spring of 1906 and purchased a partly improved farm of 120 acres a short distance from the village of Pine River at a price of \$25 an acre. We now have the biggest part of our farm under cultivation, and have a full set of farm machinery and all necessary buildings including a good barn and silo, and a nice herd of dairy cows. We consider our farm worth \$50 an acre.

"Later we purchased 80 acres of wild land at \$10 an acre, which is now partly improved and which we consider worth \$25 an acre.

"Anyone who wants to work can get a good and comfortable home here for a small sum of money. Wild land can be bought at from \$6 an acre up, according to location. This country is well adapted for corn, clover and potatoes."

J. S. Rice, living on his farm, "Pleasant Valley Farm," at Mildred on the Minnesota & International railway a few miles north of Pine River, writes a very interesting letter of his experiences: "I arrived here in April 1900, with a team of horses, two cows, four pigs, forty-five dollars and a family of ten. I took a homestead and before I could get my buildings up and any land cleared I got in debt over \$300 at the store. The price of land was \$3 an acre. I now own a half section of land, of which I have about 100 acres cleared. I have a full line of farm implements, haying tools, manure spreader, grain binder, threshing machine, corn binder, corn shredder, saw mill, and last but not least, an automobile. I have three horses, 28 head of cattle and 27 hogs. I have never had a mortgage on a foot of land or on any personal property. I consider my half section of land worth \$50 an acre now. This country is all right, and anyone who will work can make a success here. Now is the time to buy land if you want to get it cheap."

## Man and Repose.

Repose is agreeable to the human mind, and decision is repose. A man has made up his opinions, he does not choose to be disturbed, and he is much more thankful to the man who confirms him in his errors and leaves him alone than he is to the man who refutes him, or who instructs him at the expense of his tranquillity.—Sydney Smith.

## WATERWORKS FOR DEERWOOD

This Proposition Carried by the Progressives of the Village 101 to 53 Votes

## SEWERS FAIL OF PASSAGE

D. M. Neill Spoke at Deerwood Tuesday Evening—Other News Items of the Town

Deerwood, Minn., March 28—The proposition to bond the village \$15,000 for waterworks carried, the voters at the special election Wednesday expressing their preference by 101 yeas as against 53 nays. A 5-8 vote was necessary to carry it.

The sewer system failed to carry. This was a proposition to bond the village \$10,000. The vote stood 85 yeas and 59 nays.

The town was divided into two camps, dubbed the wets and dries, or the hip, hip, hurrahs and the gloomy gusses. Now each side is going around satisfied that one carried and the other defeated a proposition.

Deerwood, all agree, must have some talking points to convince the many people who will examine northern Minnesota this year, that Deerwood is a good place to live in. In mining and manufacturing there is not much being done at present, so for advertising purposes Deerwood must be a drawing card as a home proposition, a place where a man can raise a family, give them the conveniences of city life, good schooling, good people for neighbors, good churches, and the hundred and one things which weigh in the scale when a man views the Cuyuna range and figures on a home.

Are the people going to have the waterworks puts in and leave the sewers? Many think that another special election can be called to put in the sewers. And another point that should not be forgotten. Most of the money spent on waterworks and sewers will stay right in Deerwood. It will give steady employment in the summer. There will be ditches to be dug, wells to be sunk, a pumping station to be built, a tank to be erected.

It cost some effort to secure cement sidewalks in Deerwood. Is there a man who would go back to the old days of muddy cow paths and sloughs in the streets? Doesn't every visitor comment on Deerwood's pretty streets and nice sidewalks? It's worth something to have people talk that way about your town.

D. M. Neill, president of the Associated Commercial clubs of the state spoke on "Community Development" at Hilary's hall Tuesday evening. He said a community was like a family. He deprecated the factions, cliques and groups often found in small towns. The people should arise above such things and all work together with a common purpose in view. He gave his ideas on the proper way to advertise a town.

County Commissioners John A. Oberg of Deerwood, Erickson of Brainerd and Tucker of Fort Ripley were at Deerwood Wednesday and were taken to Crosby by Dr. R. J. Sewall to examine into school district matters in district No. 51.

Lawrence Reid and John Wick of the Methodist church of Deerwood and Rev. Rouland and Mr. Anderson of Crosby, joined the Brainerd delegates on their way to the Duluth Sunday school convention Wednesday.

The Humphrey auto livery has received a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hage are expected home this week from Los Angeles, Cal., where they visited several months.

Thomas Keating and daughter, Marcella Keating, were called to Vancouver, B. C., where another daughter was sick with pneumonia.

Frank Oberg was at Omaha at the time of the tornado but was out of the path of the storm. He says the damage done by the twister was something terrific.

The Deerwood telegraph operator had a job on his hands the other day when he sent a message in Austrian. It was spelled out to him letter by letter.

Will Brown of Duluth, was at Deerwood Wednesday and left in the afternoon for Riverton.

Gust Carlson has gone to Butte, Mont., where he has mining interests. George I. Reid, of the Duluth Herald, was beaten to a frazzle in a smear game at the Adams hotel. Mr. Reid is quite an expert player at the head of the lakes, but when he competed against the Deerwood past masters of the game he quickly succumbed to their science and finesse.

The Rebekahs entertained the Odd Fellows Thursday evening with an oyster supper and other refreshments. W. Clemenger, formerly of Brainerd in years past and later in business at Frazee, is meeting with good success in his operation of the Lakeside hotel. He has a large number of steady boarders and the transient trade is also growing.

The Stowell Exploration company has rented the Wasserzieher building near the postoffice.

## Are You Constipated?

If so get a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills, take them regularly and your trouble will quickly disappear. They will stimulate the liver, improve your digestion and get rid of all the poisons from your system. They will surely get you well again. 25c at H. P. Dunn's.—Adv't.

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**The McKibbin Hat**  
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The great French kidney, nerve and brain food is an unfailing cure for all forms of kidney and nervous debility, loss of brain power and sexual power, weak and failing memory, fits, dizziness, hysteria, insomnia and sleeplessness, bad dreams, nightly seminal losses, dull sight, atrophy, lassitude caused by overwork, worry, sickness.

HINDIPO is the only treatment that can be depended upon in all cases when all other treatments have failed. It works directly upon the nervous system and purifies the blood and brings back the pink glow of youth to the cheeks and brightness of perfect health to the eye.

HINDIPO is sold in turned wooden boxes, thirty tablets in a box. Price 50c. Sold in this community at

**JOHNSON'S PHARMACY**  
"The Rexall Store"

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Money Back if not Satisfactory

**FOR SALE**

8 room house, 3 lots at 4th Ave. and Ash, cost \$1500 will sell at \$850. Inquire at Dispatch office. 1m

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Fine Wines, Liquors and Cigars  
Fitzger and Brainerd Beer on Tap.  
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**NEW SPRING SUITINGS**

Suits tailored to perfection; all the late weaves; blue, browns, grays and mixtures

Cleaning, Repairing & Pressing Done

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Mining Stocks Mineral Lands  
**Residence and Business Lots IN CUYUNA**  
**A. H. PORSCH**  
Brainerd Gen. Del. Crosby Box 319

**PARCEL POST**

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The Dispatch will insert a PARCEL POST advertisement on the WANT AD PAGE for the benefit of both grower and consumer.

Here the grower may for a few cents tell of what he has to sell direct to the consumer. Here the consumer can tell of his or her needs and thus get in touch with the grower best fitted to supply them.

PARCEL POST and DISPATCH WANT ADS will help the grower to find a steady market for his products, and help the consumer cut down the high cost of living.

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# THE ROSARY

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Like the Poem and Song it will Live Forever

The Most Beautiful Settings Ever Seen on Any Stage

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PRICES—25c, 50c, 75 and \$1.00

This is the Stove Polish YOU Should Use

It's different from others because more care is taken in the making and the materials used are of higher grade.

**Black Silk Stove Polish**

Makes a brilliant, silky polish that does not rub off or dust off, and the same lasts four times as long as ordinary stove polish. Used on sample stoves and sold by hardware dealers.

All we ask is a trial. Use it on your cook stove, your parlor stove, your gas range. If you don't think it the best stove polish you ever used, your dealer is authorized to refund your money. Insist on Black Silk Stove Polish.

Made in liquid or paste—one quality.

**BLACK SILK STOVE POLISH WORKS**  
Sterling, Illinois

Use Black Silk Air-Drying Iron Enamel on grates, registers, stove pipes, and all iron work. The Black Silk Metal Polish for silver, nickel or brass. It has no equal for use on automobiles.

**Get a Can TODAY**

Soothing.  
"Nan," said Fan, "I've got a gown exactly like that one of yours, and I just hate it. It looks all right on you, though, because you're so thin that the pattern doesn't show."—Chicago Tribune.

## Cause of Eczema Now Explained

Eczema, Psoriasis and other skin troubles are caused by myriads of germs at work in the skin. Salves have been tried but have been proven worthless, for they only clog the pores and fail utterly to remove the real cause of the disease.

These germs can be destroyed only by wash, and unless this is promptly done, they rapidly multiply, gnawing their way deep into the sensitive tissue. This is what causes that awful itch, and what seemed a mere rash may grow worse and develop into a loathsome and torturing skin disease with its years of misery.

Don't take any chances! Destroy the germs at the beginning of the trouble with that soothing and cleansing wash, the D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema.

H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv't.

## YOU CANNOT GET AWAY

from the fact that it pays to treat your livestock well. Whether you work it or market it the better it is fed the better the returns. That's why you should give our feed a trial. Commence today. We know that the results will be so fine that you'll see the advantage of using our feed right along.

JOHN LARSON



MAY BE BURIED  
AT HARTFORDJ. Pierpont Morgan Passes Away  
in Italy.

EVERY PRECAUTION TAKEN

Death of Famous American Financier Causes Only a Slight Flurry on the New York Stock Exchange—Bankers, Brokers, Railway and Business Men All Pay Warm Tribute to the Deceased.

New York, April 1.—John Pierpont Morgan, whose death occurred at Rome, Italy, probably will be interred in a mausoleum in Cedar Hill cemetery, Hartford, Conn., which he had erected some years ago in memory of his father and mother. When the body of Mr. Morgan reaches here from Rome it is expected the funeral services will be held in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, toward the construction of which Mr. Morgan was a large contributor.

When the news of Mr. Morgan's death in Rome reached here expressions of regret at his passing were expressed on every side. In the financial district, the stock exchange and the consolidated exchange passed resolutions of respect to his memory and flags everywhere were dropped to half mast.

The offices of J. P. Morgan & Co. closed immediately upon receipt of news and little information was vouchsafed by the members of the firm. The statement was made, however, that business would be carried on undisturbed by the surviving members.

## Morbid Were Out in Force.

Equipages of all kinds drove up to Mr. Morgan's mansion and their occupants left cards of condolence. The morbid were out in force in the vicinity of the Morgan home and at one time reached such proportions it became necessary to request the police to disperse them.

Henry P. Davidson, now the senior member of the J. P. Morgan firm, said there likely would be a family conference at which details for the funeral would be arranged.

The immediate effect on the machinery of Wall street on account of Mr. Morgan's death was comparatively slight. On the stock exchange the news from Rome had largely spent its force within fifteen minutes after the opening of the market. Mr. Morgan's illness had prepared the financial district for the end and every precaution had been taken to guard against a serious break in prices. At the opening the prominent stocks declined a point or so, but they received prompt support and rallied quickly. Thereafter the market was dull.

## Makes Enormous Impression.

Wall street's relations with the head of the house of Morgan had been of such large consequence for so many years that the news of his passing made an enormous impression. From bankers, brokers, railroad and business men came tributes to the dead man.

Friends of Mr. Morgan pointed out another reason, in addition to the warning given by his illness, why the financier's death was not seriously disturbing. His career, they said, was rounded out. He had accomplished virtually all he started out to achieve. For some time the Morgan firm had refrained from large, new enterprises. All that human foresight could dictate had been done during the last year or so to safeguard the business and financial world against a calamity when Mr. Morgan's last hour came.

Nothing is known, as yet, as to how Mr. Morgan, in his will, disposed of his vast estate. J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., has been his father's understudy for years and is classed high in financial ability. He served his apprenticeship in the London house of Morgan, Grenfell & Co.

## SURROUNDED WITH FLOWERS

Body of J. Pierpont Morgan Lies in Death Chamber.

Rome, April 1.—The body of J. Pierpont Morgan, the New York financier, who died here, is lying in the death chamber, surrounded with flowers. Messages of sympathy have been received from King Victor Emmanuel, high officials of the state, diplomatic representatives, and from many personal friends in all parts of the world. The death of Mr. Morgan was not known in Rome until several hours after it occurred, owing to the desire that Mr. Morgan's son, J. Pierpont Morgan, Jr., who is in New York, should be first notified.

For five days Mr. Morgan received artificial nourishment, but was unable to assimilate the food. As a result he very rapidly lost strength. For many hours prior to his death he was in a condition of semi-coma, which prevented him from recognizing those about him. His end was without suffering.

It has been suggested that Mr. Morgan's body should be taken to the United States on board a warship.

SEVERAL TOWNS  
APPEAL FOR AIDRivers Are Steadily Rising in  
Southern Indiana.

REPORTS ARE CONFLICTING

Total Number of Fatalities in the State Stands at Forty-nine—Water Receding in the Northern and Central Portion and Work of Rehabilitating the Devastated Districts Begins.

Indianapolis, April 1.—While Northern and Central Indiana cities were rehabilitating their flood devastated districts the waters disappearing there were tightening their disastrous clutches on southern regions.

The government relief boat Sciotto, commanded by Lieutenant Height, United States army, towed a barge load of provisions into Lawrenceburg to find only forty homes there not under water. When the boat proceeded to Aurora conditions were found almost as bad.

Governor Ralston, on the appeal of Mount Vernon citizens, ordered out the company of militia stationed there to patrol the town. Leavenworth sent a cry for help.

New Harmony and Evansville reported increased suffering from rising waters, but the mayor of Vincennes telephoned that the water there is falling and, although the property loss is heavy and many flooded portions are segregated by swift currents, it is believed no lives have been lost.

People of Southern Indiana heeded the flood warnings quickly through the fear created by reports from flood swept districts.

Reports of fatalities, where the flood struck unexpectedly, but now is gone, still are conflicting.

Peru's list of nine may stand and with those figures Indiana's loss of life stands at fifty-nine.

Indiana is recovering, outside aid greatly relieving its burdens, and business conditions in Indianapolis are normal, with public utilities completely restored. Some southern towns, believed suffering from rising waters, are cut off from communication, but ample warning has removed much danger of loss of life.

## OHIO RIVER SLOWLY FALLS

Parkersburg, W. Va., Recovering From  
Flood Disaster.

Parkersburg, W. Va., April 1.—This city is recovering from the worst disaster in its history, due to the ravages of the Ohio river. The river is falling slowly. It is now 53 feet. The crest stage, which was reached Saturday night, was 58.9, six feet higher than the 1884 flood.

Parkersburg has been cut off from the outside world by rail since Thursday.

For four days the city has been without water supply, street cars, electric lights, newspapers or mail.

There is only one known casualty thus far, but it is the general opinion that the receding waters will disclose the bodies of people caught in their homes by the rapidly rising water.

In Parkersburg, Belpre and Wood county towns upwards of 3,000 people are homeless.

## CAN HANDLE CRISIS ALONE

Governor Cox Thankful for Aid Fur-  
nished Ohio.

Columbus, O., April 1.—"Refreshed by the tears of the American people Ohio stands ready to meet the crisis alone."

Such was the statement issued by Governor Cox.

"The relief situation, so far as food and clothing are concerned, is in hand. Thankful to her friends who succored her Ohio faces tomorrow serene and confident."

## FLOOD DAMAGE IN MONTANA

Railroads Suffer Because of Melting  
Ice Gorges.

Billings, Mont., April 1.—Traffic east of Billings on the Burlington and Northern Pacific was suspended when floods caused by melting ice gorges in the Big Horn and Yellowstone rivers carried away the tracks. The Burlington track was carried away near the Crow agency and the Northern Pacific lost its track near Custer.

## STUDENTS AND GIRL DROWN

Two Men and Woman Meet Death in  
Canoe Accident.

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 1.—Two men students and a former woman student of the University of Michigan were drowned in a canoe accident on the Huron river here. They were Miss Ella Rysdort of Spring Lake, Mich., Henry Bacon of Pontiac, Mich., and Arthur Crandall of Brockton, N. Y. Their canoe had been wrecked in the rapids near a dam above the city.

WALTER H. PAGE.

Editor Accepts Position  
as London Ambassador.

## PAGE ACCEPTS BRITISH POST

Editor Will Be Ambassador to Great  
Britain.

Washington, April 1.—President Wilson probably will fill the majority of the nine ambassadorships now vacant before the beginning of the extra session of congress next Monday.

The president expects to confer with many of his friends during the week and it is believed that when congress convenes nominations for the more important posts will be sent to the senate.

Walter H. Page, editor of World's York and an intimate friend of President Wilson, who has accepted the ambassadorship to Great Britain, will start for London within ten days.

GIRLS HAVE THREE  
AVENUES OF ESCAPEIllinois Vice Commission Secures  
More Testimony.

Chicago, April 1.—Marriage, death or an immoral life are the only avenues of escape for girls from the toll of the "sweet shops," according to testimony of witnesses before the Illinois vice commission.

Lieutenant Governor Barratt O'Hara, chairman of the commission, devoted much time to examining girls and women witnesses from the West Side "sweet shop" district, where wages range from \$2.50 to \$5 a week.

As a result of the stories of hardship and penury told by the witnesses Lieutenant Governor O'Hara agreed with Senator Juhl to give \$1 each to "sweet shop" witnesses, because it was believed that the witnesses would be "docked" by their employers for the time spent before the commission.

The moral obligation of employers to make certain that all their employees are properly clothed and adequately nourished was emphasized throughout the session of the commission.

Sergeant-at-Arms T. B. Scouten and H. Blair Coan, investigator for the commission, seized the books of Rosenwald & Well, clothing manufacturers, who failed to respond to subpoenas to appear before the commission.

## HEINZE SUES FOR \$975,000

Mrs. John W. Gates One of Defend-  
ants in Stock Deal Action.

New York, April 1.—Mrs. John W. Gates was served with a subpoena in a suit to recover \$975,000 from her, Charles W. Morse, Charles M. Schwab, John H. Flagler, Colonel Robert M. Thompson, Isaac Guggenheim and others, representing an alleged loss of Arthur P. Heinze in certain ice stocks.

It is charged the defendants—with the exception of Mrs. Gates, who is sued as administratrix of her husband's estate—induced Heinze to invest in the stock "by false and misleading statements."

He assigned his claim to the Richmond Assets Collection company, which is the plaintiff in the suit.

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## ROASTED TO DEATH.

St. Paul, April 1.—Leaving a young widow and a six-weeks-old baby George Murphy died at St. Joseph's hospital from burns sustained while he was pinned in the cab of his engine fast against the hot boiler plate. He was virtually roasted to death before he was released. The locomotive had collided with a freight car.

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## L. P. Morton Not So Well.

New York, April 1.—At the residence of former Vice President Levi P. Morton it was said that he had not passed a comfortable night. His physician had been at the bedside of the patient all night. Mr. Morton has been ill several weeks.

WILL PUSH BILL  
ON IMMIGRATIONBackers Think President Wilson  
Will Approve It.

HOLDOVERS WANT TO STICK

Many Republican Officeholders Will Stay as Long as Possible—Office Seekers Fighting Hard—Bench and Old Age Question Stirred Up Again. Dockery Is Feared.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, April 1.—[Special.]—The men who put through the immigration bill with its educational test and who almost passed the bill over the veto of President Taft are going to make a very strong effort to put through just about such a bill during the extra session.

They see no reason why it should not be considered, and they intend to make trouble for the leaders who stand in the way of this legislation. They have no doubt that such a measure as passed last winter will be approved by President Wilson.

Not All Like Wilson.

All the Republican officials are not like Huntington Wilson, who peremptorily resigned as first assistant secretary of state because he did not like the president's attitude on dollar diplomacy.

There are quite a number of holdovers who say that the policy of the new administration, no matter how much it may differ from that which appointed them, is not going to cause them to rush out on the cold world. There are a lot of Republicans who are perfectly willing to stay. Some of them have made great efforts to stay, but one by one their places are to be filled.

Makes Them Shudder.

There are clerks in government service who shudder still at the name Dockery. The former governor, who is now third assistant postmaster general, is down at his desk early every morning. Dockery was once the head of the famous "Dockery commission," which pretty nearly turned the government departments inside out. The clerks were given a shakeup at that time which they will never forget.

They Wanted Them.

Notwithstanding the statement that President Wilson was not going to devote time to office seekers and notwithstanding the fact that certain cabinet officers said they were too busy to attend to the claims of men seeking office, there was a constant stream of visitors to the White House and to the departments. The fellows who did the fighting "wanted them."

They wanted the places which they thought they had earned. And what was more important, the senators and representatives went to the White House and the departments with these place hunters. They felt in duty bound to do what they could for their party friends. Every new administration is obliged to give time to office seekers.

"Time and Windup!"

"Time and windup!" was the statement of referees at those friendly athletic encounters, boxing matches, pugilistic athletics or whatever they were called. The idea is suggested by the kind of time that has prevailed in the postoffice department for, lo, these many years. There is a sort of town clock on top of the building, but it goes crazy most of the time. Then the clocks in the department go all awry, and no one can tell whether it is morning, afternoon or past midnight by some of them.

Bench and Age.

The elimination of old men for positions as federal judges was started by the senate committee on judiciary a number of years ago when notice was served on the president that old men would not be confirmed. The rule was broken when Justice Lurton was confirmed, but that was because of the pressure by President Taft. In the last Cleveland administration Edmund W. Pettus of Alabama wanted to be a federal judge. Senator Pugh of that state, then chairman of the judiciary committee, told Pettus that he was too old for a federal judge. Pettus was indignant. "Maybe you think so," he said, "but I'll show you I am not too old to be senator." And he entered the field against Pugh and defeated him. Pettus outlived nearly every body connected with the transaction.

Commissioner Neill.

The determination of President Wilson to have C. P. Neill for commissioner of labor in spite of the opposition of southern senators recalls the fact that Neill seems to have a charming official life. I do not know where Roosevelt found him, but he appointed him to the place. When Taft came in and some of the Roosevelt heads began to fall Neill became somewhat nervous, but he held the place for four years. Now the Democratic administration seems determined to keep him, although there is serious opposition.

Evidence of Change.

While the senate was in special session there was real evidence of the political change. The Democrats were on hand all the time. Many Republicans were absent. The men who were responsible for the business of the senate attended, while the others slipped away to their homes.

Accuracy of Statement.

"Have you a good cook?"  
"A very plous one, but her cooking's diabolical."

W. D. HAYWOOD.

Convicted of Causing  
Unlawful Assemblies.

## SIX MONTHS FOR HAYWOOD

Organizer for Industrial Workers of  
the World Convicted.

Paterson, N. J., April 1.—William D. Haywood, organizer for the Industrial Workers of the World, was sentenced to six months in the county jail on conviction of causing unlawful assemblies. He came here in connection with the silk mill workers' strike.

OHIO RIVER SLOWLY  
RISES AT CINCINNATIDirect and Indirect Damage Will  
Be Enormous.

Cincinnati, April 1.—When the Ohio river here reaches a stage of 69.7 the crest of the flood at this point will have been reached. The river rose less rapidly than at any time since the yellow flood began its course of destruction.

At points east of here the river already has begun to recede, while to the west there is an appreciable accession to the stage. Reports from down the river are replete with stories of destruction and desolation.

The direct and indirect damage caused by the flooding of the river front section and the low lying residential places will be great. An estimate of the indirect loss can never be made. The direct loss is estimated at more than \$2,000,000.

Relief work, locally, and also in the nearby inundated territory, is more than adequate and a statement was issued by Mayor Hunt that no more supplies were required here and that a surplus existed that is being turned over to the Red Cross authorities for distribution.

Across the river in the several Kentucky cities and towns that practically form one large city conditions still are deplorable. All of them are without lights, the gas and electric lighting plants being compelled to cease operating when the flood waters encroached upon their premises.

## MEAT SOARS IN NEW YORK

Famine Threatened Unless Flood-  
bound Shipments Arrive.

New York, April 1.—The price of meat soared to the highest figures of the year. Indications are that quotations will go still higher. Dealers say the shortage soon will become acute unless shipments checked by the Ohio and Indiana floods are hurried to the city.

## NEW OMAHA IN SIX MONTHS

Committee Says Rebuilt City Will Be  
More Beautiful, Too.

Omaha, April 1.—A committee of prominent Omaha business men in whose hands the work of restoring the city from the effects of the tornado of March 23 has been placed promised that in six months the devastated district would be rebuilt and would be much more beautiful from a civic standpoint. Contributions from all cities are being gratefully received and are distributed where they will do the most good.

The following was compiled by the Commercial club and is given out as authentic:

The known dead in Omaha and immediate suburbs totals 136; the injured number 402, while many sustained minor bruises; 1,700 homes were entirely destroyed or badly wrecked.

## MOUNDS CITY ASKS FOR AID

Water Near Top of Levee and Danger  
Imminent.

Springfield, Ill., April 1.—Adjutant General Dickson received the following message from Mound City.

"The water of the Ohio river is near the top of the levee. The danger is very imminent and pressing. We appeal for immediate help. Send 10,000 sacks and two companies of militia." In response to this appeal, the adjutant general ordered Company F, Fifth infantry, Danville, and Company H, Shelbyville, Fourth infantry, to proceed at once to Mound City.

ONE LEVEE AT  
CAIRO BREAKSAnother One May Have Gone  
Out Further South.

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## MAY ABOLISH COMMISSION

Committee Favors Change in Minne-  
sota State Printing.

St. Paul, April 1.—Wiping out of the state printing commission is recommended in a report presented to the house by the committee on public accounts and expenditures which has been investigating the method of handling state printing. It finds that the commission, which consists of the state auditor, state treasurer and secretary of state, is not able to give the work careful attention. The committee recommends that the printing matter be handled by the state board of control and that the state expert printer be made an employee of that board. A bill embodying this plan was introduced by the committee.

The house after a spirited debate voted to pass the labor committee's bill prohibiting employment agencies from receiving fees from common laborers for obtaining positions for such workmen. Under the measure employers would have to pay the fees.

## REBELS TO ASK ANNEXATION

Sonora Congressman En Route to  
Washington.

El Paso, Tex., April 1.—Annexation to the United States is sought by certain factions of revolutionary leaders in Sonora, the Northwestern Mexican border state practically in control of insurgent state troops.

Ignacio Bonillas, a Sonora state congressman, said to be the leader of the movement, is now on his way to Washington to confer with officials of the department of state and interior regarding the plan.

## Funeral of James McCrea.

Philadelphia, April 1.—The funeral of James McCrea, former president of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, was held at Ardmore, near here, his late home. Among the honorary pallbearers were Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, and George F. Baer, president of the Philadelphia and Reading railroad.

## INCENDIARY IS SENTENCED

Winnipeg Prisoner Still Faces Trial  
for Manslaughter.

Winnipeg, April 1.—James Dodds, a Scotch sign painter, who came to Canada six years ago, was sentenced to fifteen years in the penitentiary. He was found guilty of arson at a trial held after he had confessed to the starting of ninety-two fires in Winnipeg and St. Boniface in the last year, causing heavy loss of property and loss of seven lives. He has yet to be tried for manslaughter.

## GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, April 1.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.75@8.50; cows and heifers, \$4.50@7.00; calves, \$4.25@8.00; feeders, \$4.50@7.75. Hogs—\$8.80@9.95. Sheep—Lambs, \$4.50@8.00; wethers, \$4.50@6.10; ewes, \$2.25@5.75.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, April 1.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, 85¢@86¼¢; No. 1 Northern, 84¢@85¼¢; No. 2 Northern, 81¢@83¼¢; May, 85¢@86¼¢; July, 88¼¢@88½¢. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.23¼; May, \$1.24¼; July, \$1.26¼.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, April 1.—Wheat—May, 90¼¢@90½¢; July, 89¼¢@89½¢; Sept., 89¼¢. Corn—May, 53¢; July, 54¢@54¼¢; Sept., 55¢. Oats—May, 34¢; July, 33¢; Sept., 33¢@34¢. Pork—May, \$20.60; July, \$20.37. Butter—Creameries, 28¢@36¢. Eggs—16¼¢@17½¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 18¢; chickens, 18¢; springs, 17¼¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 1.—Cattle—Beef, \$7.60@9.10; Texas steers, \$6.00@8.00; Western steers, \$6.85@8.10; stockers and feeders, \$6.00@8.00; cows and heifers, \$3.60@7.85; calves, \$6.00@9.00. Hogs—Light, \$9.10@9.45; mixed, \$8.95@9.40; heavy, \$8.70@9.30; rough, \$8.70@8.85; pigs, \$7.00@9.20. Sheep—Native, \$5.90@6.75; yearlings, \$6.85@7.85; lambs, \$6.90@8.75.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, April 1.—Wheat—May, 85¼¢; July, 88¢. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 87¢; No. 1 Northern, 83¢@86¼¢; to arrive, 85¢@86¼¢; No. 2 Northern, 83¢@84¼¢; No. 3 Northern, 48¼¢; No. 4 corn, 46¢@47¼¢; No. 3 white oats, 30¼¢@31¢; to arrive, 30¢; No. 3 oats, 27¼¢@29¢; barley, 40¢@56¢; flax, \$1.23¼; to arrive, \$1.23¼.

## STRONG CURRENT IS RUNNING

Situation at Illinois Town Has Been Steadily Growing More Desperate, but the Increased Swiftiness of the Stream Gives Rise to Hope That Serious Danger May Be Averted.

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Cairo, Ill., April 1.—One of the levees has broken here. \*\*\*\*\*

Cairo, Ill., April 1.—Inhabitants of Cairo took up renewed hope for the safety of their city. A strong current came up in the Ohio river and this gave rise to the opinion that something had given way south of here and that the situation, which had been growing more and more desperate, had been relieved.

The levee is holding strong, though the water has been creeping steadily upward.

Every one in the city appears under a nervous strain, which was intensified when a report reached here that the levee had broken at Shawneetown, Ill. R. T. Lindley, in charge of the government work, discredits the report.

The water level stands now higher than the most elevated street level at Cairo. Further up, at Bridge Junction, the water has crept dangerously near the top of the levee and thousands upon thousands of sacks of sand have been placed to hold it in check.

The weather here is fine and indications are that it will remain so. Fear is felt over the drinking water supply, which is decidedly bad.

At Mounds, about twelve miles above Cairo, hundreds of refugees arrived. Most of these left Cairo in wagons, taking with them trunks, household goods and in some instances chickens and pigs.

Hundreds of persons have left Cairo and many more are preparing to do so.

For several miles along the railroad tracks north hundreds of laborers are filling sacks with sand. These are placed on flat cars and started with all speed toward the levees.

Soldiers have been pressed into other than military duty. They are placing the sand bags and also are putting braces against boards placed along the river side of the railroad tracks. Many carloads of heavy clay have been placed back of these.

## LEVEE AT BREAKING POINT

Situation at Shawneetown Becomes  
Very Serious.

Springfield, Ill., April 1.—The seriousness of the flood situation at Shawneetown was indicated when Governor Dunne and Adjutant General Dickson received telegrams from Assistant Adjutant General Shand, who is in personal charge of the situation at that point, as follows:

"Warning notices signed by the chairman of the local committee, Lang, and myself, have been sent to every house in the city for all women and children to leave the city until the crisis is over. The water is rising very fast."

Colonel Lang is commander of the Fourth infantry, a portion of which is stationed at Shawneetown.

## WABASH ELEVEN MILES WIDE

Stops Baltimore and Ohio Trains to  
Vincennes, Ind.

Flora, Ill., April 1.—Passengers arriving on a late Baltimore and Ohio train from Lawrenceville, Ill., said the Wabash river between Lawrenceville and Vincennes, Ind., was eleven miles wide.

The Baltimore and Ohio trains go no further east from here than Lawrenceville and south to Barnhill, where the Skillet river, normally a mere creek, is seven miles wide. Barnhill is thirty miles south of this town.

## CARRANZA VERY AMBITIOUS

Proclaims Himself Provisional Presi-  
dent of Mexico.

Washington, April 1.—Governor Carranza, at the head of the revolution against the Mexican government in the north, has declared himself provisional president, according to official advices received here.

Washout Blocks Traffic.

Miles City, Mont., April 1.—A big washout on the Yellowstone river here is blocking trains on the St. Paul road. The fast Milwaukee trains will probably go over the Northern Pacific. Telegraph wires are down here.

## Levee Break

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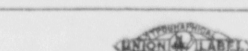
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## THE WEATHER

Temperature record taken at Gull lake dam, by caretaker, Arthur L. Lampel.  
March 31, maximum 51 above, minimum 28 above. Rainfall .11 inches.

Anyhow, Tuesday was April fools day and the defeated candidates can take it as a good joke.

The new gas plant at Little Falls expects to be in working operation by July 4th and the gentleman who was granted the franchise by the city council informs the people that work will be started as soon as the frost is out of the ground.

This is a short month for the president and he only received \$5,625 when he got his pay check from the treasury department Monday night, which covered his services from March 4th to the end of the month. On pay day hereafter President Wilson will receive \$6,250, a full month's proportion of his \$75,000 annual stipend.

Along with the state game and fish commission the state printing commission is also assailed by the house committee and a recommendation that it also be abolished has been turned in. What a lot of uneasy officials there must be around the state capitol and what a sigh of relief will go up when the legislature of 1913 stands adjourned.

The state highway commission has made a distribution of the \$350,000 road and bridge fund, which if divided evenly among the 86 counties would have given each \$4,070. Population, assessed valuation and the interest manifested in the good roads proposition was taken into account and the different counties received from \$2,500 to \$10,000 each, Hen pin, Ramsey, and St. Louis being in the latter class. Winona received \$8,000, Blue Earth \$7,000 and Beltrami and Koochiching were voted \$5,500 each because of their large area and the extent of state lands exempt from taxation, and Itasca was given \$6,500 for the same reason. Crow Wing county received

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## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

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John Krekelberg went to Minneapolis today.

Miss Mary Bishop went to St. Paul this afternoon.  
Joseph Herbst of Riverton, was in the city today.

Jacob Goldberg went to Minneapolis this afternoon.

Mrs. C. P. McLean went to St. Paul yesterday afternoon.

Order your wall paper early from D. M. Clark & Co.—Advt. 249tf

Mrs. A. J. Mueller and children are visiting in Minneapolis.

W. J. Sullivan of Crosby, was a Brainerd business visitor yesterday.

Mrs. A. J. Winters and little daughter went to Sauk Center today to visit relatives.

For SPRING WATER Phone 269R. —Advt. 244tf

Mrs. F. C. Peterson will leave next week for Woodlawn, Illinois, for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Beale returned last night from Duluth where they attended the state Sunday school convention.

Charles and Sam Framling of Southeast Brainerd expect to go to San Francisco this evening, returning some time in June.

For ice cream phone Turner Bros. —Advt. 247

The ladies Aid society of the Methodist church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Warner, 203 Ash avenue.

The Misses Ethel and Gertrude Brown and Marie Sullivan, guests of friends in Crosby, returned yesterday to their home in Little Falls.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Peoples' Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Forsberg, 503 Pine street, Northeast, on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White have returned from Crosby where Mr. White has been singing and Mrs. White playing in the Empress theater.

For furniture and stove bargains see D. M. Clark's display windows. —Advt. 224tf

Mrs. Andrew Swanson, mother of County Attorney G. S. Swanson, was operated on this morning at the Northern Pacific sanatorium by Drs. Ides and Tabeas.

A. M. Opsahl has enlarged a kodak picture showing the farm of Dee Holden and about the Backus place stand Mons Mahlum, Dee Holden, C. H. Paine and Henry McGinn.

Attorney C. A. Russell went to St. Paul today to resume with Congressman-at-large Manahan the grain investigation carried on by them for the legislative committee of the house.

Muresco Sanitary Wall finish is sold only by D. M. Clark & Co.—Advt. 249tf

Mrs. Beckett, Mrs. Cross, Mrs. Nicolls, Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Connor, Miss Mason and Mrs. Ames of Staples, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Field and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Duffy.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Moerke, 315 N. 9th street on Wednesday afternoon, April 2nd. Quarterly reports are due. A large attendance is requested.

Mrs. Henry J. Miller, of Ironton, was a Brainerd visitor today. Mr. and Mrs. Miller own farm land near the Mississippi south of the Dr. J. L. Camp farm which has two drills exploring for ore.

For house moving and general carpenter work, call on B. W. Barbeau, phone 227-W.—Advt. 252tfp

Mose DeRoche, Jr., has received the largest Elk's head ever seen in Brainerd. Many admired the head as it lay at the freight depot. It is said to be a splendid specimen and one worth a lot of money.

Miss Marjorie Towle of Minneapolis, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank G. Hall. Miss Bessie Wieland entertains for her this afternoon and Mrs. Howard G. Ingersoll entertains for her tomorrow afternoon.

John M. Frederick and Miss Dora Schumaker were married at Ottotail March 27. They have just returned and will go to housekeeping on Southeast Pine street. The Dispatch extends its best wishes to the couple.

Awnings put up by D. M. Clark & Co.—Advt. 241-tf

Frederick Joseph Soumier, aged three and one-half years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Soumier, died of pneumonia Sunday morning and the funeral was held this morning from St. Francis Catholic church, Rev. Father Crean officiating.

I. U. White, who has been sick for some time, is able to be at the store again. He has partly recovered from his indisposition, and now in turn has been visited by a carbuncle on his left hand. "Oh! it's just one thing after another," said Mr. White.


Farm loans for farms by a farmer. R. R. Livingston, Telephone 414-3. —Advt. 173d-1wtf

Alderman James M. Elder has received a copy of a newspaper from his old Kentucky home. It's a 98 page edition of the Louisville Courier Journal and Louisville Times featuring city, state and southland devel-



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## CROSS LAKE

Mrs. Otis McLain is ill with the grippe.

In the board meeting for the qualification of officers, Peter Adrian was elected chairman for the next year.

Frank A. Glass, county surveyor, came up Tuesday and is surveying roads in the northern part of the town. Supervisors Adrian and Chochran and Alfred Swartout and son John are helpers.

Oliver Feister lost a two year old heifer Monday night. Up to this date it is still missing.

Wm. Stowe who has been working in the woods this winter, had due misfortune of breaking his leg about eight weeks ago. His leg is slowly improving.

The caucus ticket was elected at town meeting: Peter Adrian, supervisor for 3 years; A. A. Burch, clerk for one year; Chas. Heath, treasurer for one year; Frank Gordon, assessor for two years; Wm. Buchite, road

overseer Dist. No. 1; J. H. Allen, road overseer Dist. No. 2. \$200 was raised for road and bridge fund, \$150 was raised for general fund, and \$50 was raised for poor fund.

Fritz Seelke has four more wolf scalps in his belt. That makes thirteen for this winter.

Frank Gordon made a trip to Brainerd Sunday.

The sheriff took three of our citizens on a warrant for grand larceny Wednesday. They will have a hearing at Brainerd.

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## HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Porter at the National hotel. 253tf

WANTED—Kitchen girl at the Windsor hotel. 234tf

WANTED—Good girl at Farmers Home at once. 254tf

WANTED—Woman helper for kitchen work. Ransford hotel. 255tf

WANTED—Good girl for housework. No washing. 412 N. 4th street. tf

WANTED—Boarders and roomers at Mrs. Palmer's, 307 South Seventh street. 241tf

WANTED—Man for general farm work. Fred S. Parker, Brainerd, Minn. 250tf

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Inquire at 616 Front Street. H. W. Linnemann. 252tf

WANTED—Girl who has had some experience in cooking. Good wages. Depot Lunch Room.

WILLOW RIVER—The original towns site—new town of importance in British Columbia's inland Empire. On Fraser river and main line Grand Trunk Pacific and four other railroads. Gateway to the magnificent Peace River Country. Acreage, 40-acre farms, address Pacific Land & Townsite Co., Ltd., 369 Richard street, Vancouver, B. C. Agents Wanted to 3-31

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Furnished room in modern house, 415 North 8th street. 231 tf

FOR RENT—Front room with alcove, in modern home. Enquire of R. D. King, Iron Exchange. 252tf

FOR RENT—Store building, 1304 Oak street, formerly occupied by Erickson Brothers. See Bredenberg & Erickson. 239tf

## FOR SALE

USED AUTO—Albert Angel. 115tf

FOR SALE—Working team, weight 2600. Apply 620, 4th avenue, N. E. 250-110

FOR SALE—House and three lots, corner Kingwood St. and Bluff Ave E. Fine location, on paved street, cement sidewalk on two sides, shade trees and boulevards. All in A1 condition. \$1500 cash takes it. Hugo A. Kaatz. 249tf

## MISCELLANEOUS

LOST—Stickpin with winged Mercury, Greek letters. Return to Mrs. Prescott, 302 North Seventh street. 2552p

## ENGINEERING

F. A. GLASS, Mining Engineer—Examinations, Directions of Explorations, Surveys and General Engineering. Glass' map of the Cuyuna is the best and is up to date covering mineral areas of Crow Wing, Aitkin, Morrison and Cass counties. Size 24x52 on paper \$4. Size 24x52 on cloth \$5.

## BRAINERD BOY PICTURES CYCLONE

Omaha Twister Shrieked With the  
Noise of 100 Locomotives  
Belching Steam

TORRE PATH 10 BLOCKS WIDE

Young Herbert I. Lowe and His Motor  
Truck Did Valiant Service in  
Rescue Work

"The tremendous force of that rolling, twisting monster as it cleaved a swath some ten blocks wide through the city of Omaha and fully 15 miles long and not leaving the earth's surface once, can only be described by comparing it with a hundred of more locomotives tearing down abreast of each other, taking everything along in front of them and every one with a safety valve wide open, hissing and pouring out steam to their full capacity," is the vivid way in which Herbert I. Lowe, a former Brainerd boy and the son of George E. Lowe, yard foreman of the Northern Pacific railway in this city, describes the cyclone which struck Omaha and buried a large section of that western city in ruins.

And young Lowe did valiant service. Operating his motor truck he went about on his mission of rescue and assistance, pulling the fire department truck out of the hole, carrying people out of burning houses, patching up the wounded. No thought of the heroic entered his mind. He just kept his motor truck going and worked right through the calamity.

At Omaha as well as at Dayton has been well demonstrated the worth of a serviceable motor truck with a cool headed man to manage it. Mr. Lowe's letter states:

"I am mighty glad I am well and happy and not one of the victims of the disaster which passed over our city last Sunday. It was such a dreadful calamity one hardly likes to talk about it, after seeing as much of it as I did. I had worked awful hard all day Sunday and was just coming home when I witnessed a very bad accident a friend of mine had with a car, splitting a car nearly into two pieces by colliding with a telegraph pole.

I went back, changed clothes and got out a truck and got the car in off the street and it was raining pitch forks all the while.

I had no sooner got done when the cyclone struck out west of the shop. The fire department came by and got stuck near our place so I pulled out again and took them out to the fire. Then I went into the blazing district and helped rescue Mrs. Sullivan whom we found buried under about half the house.

All those fine mansions out in the western portion of the city are ruined, even Joslyn's million dollar place is a heap of ruins. It sure scattered death wherever it touched and the suffering was most terrible as you will see from a little description of what I did next morning. I got in at 10:30 P. M. Sunday night drenched, cold and tired. Next morning I got up bright and early along with Billie to find his sister whom we located at one of her friend's houses. He left me to help his other sister pick up her things as their home was demolished and Billie and 19 others escaped with their lives by getting into a storm cellar built near the house.

I went to the rescue work south-east of town where they had no aid or assistance of any kind, being cut off from town all night long in every way. When I drew up in front of the drug store at 49th and Leavenworth streets, they had a load for the hospital. I hurried these off to the Wise Memorial, then went back and picked up the drugist and we went out into the country farther to a house filled with victims. We had to get busy and wash out some bad cuts and gashes, before we could bandage them up and move them.

Men, women and children with broken arms, legs and big pieces of flesh torn from their bodies were everywhere. Oh! it was a terrible sight and the suffering was fierce. People who have never seen anything in that order cannot begin to realize what it really is. I hope I shall never

or be anywhere near one again. There were quite a number burned alive.

It was as warm as a July day just before the storm. After the storm and rain passed it started to blow from the north and it got very cold. The path of the storm was from southwest to northeast. Millions upon millions of dollars worth of property was destroyed.

Billie and his folks are all well. Ann's sister's home was destroyed at 22nd and Lake streets. Nobody was hurt and they had cyclone insurance. I have not got over the effects of it yet, having worked so hard and getting so cold and wet. I just felt that it was my place as a man to get out and help, having such good resources to draw from as a motor truck.

I was sorry to think you were worried so, but I did not feel like doing anything after it was all over. We are filled to the brim with damaged cars and the big electric garage at 40th and Farman streets was totally wrecked and it was filled with Packard gas cars and electrics. We have pulled a few out already."

Accompanying his letter were a half dozen views of some of the scenes of disaster occasioned by the cyclone. They are very interesting and Mr. Lowe is showing them to many of his friends.

### AFTER GAS FRANCHISE

E. E. Collins Circulating Petition for Franchise to Establish a Gas Plant in City

E. E. Collins, of Iowa, who recently secured a gas plant franchise in Little Falls, is circulating a petition in Brainerd to establish a similar plant here.

Mr. Collins, in addition to paying his regular taxes, offers to pay to the city, if allowed to establish a plant, two per cent on the gross output up to 12,000,000 cubic feet and three per cent on all over 12,000,000 feet. He will furnish gas for cooking, heating or fuel purposes at \$1.35 per 1,000 cubic feet.

He will agree to sell the plant at any time, the same to be appraised by three men, one selected by the city, one by himself and one by the first two mentioned.

### BOHEMIAN CLUB ELECTS

C. B. Stickney Elected President at the Annual Meeting of the Organization

The Bohemian club held its annual election of officers and the following were selected to guide the destinies of this popular organization for the ensuing term:

President—C. B. Stickney.  
Vice-President—R. E. Clark.  
Secretary—K. B. Ribbel.  
Treasurer—A. C. Mraz.  
Musician—W. Frampton.  
Trustee for three years—W. Turcotte.  
Sergeant-at-arms—G. S. Swanson.

### Miss Parks Married

The Pioneer Press contains the following regarding the wedding of a former Brainerd girl:

The wedding of Miss Ima Parks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Parks, 1694 Van Buren street, Hamline, to Arthur G. Luedeman took place last evening at the residence of her parents. Rev. B. Scott Bates performed the ceremony. Alfred Luedeman was his brother's best man and Miss Ethel Harrison the bride's only attendant.

The ceremony took place before an improvised bower of palms and lilies which had been erected in the living room. The bridal music was played by the Misses Dora and Rose Schattgen. The Misses Mabelle Morrison and Rose Flaherty of Minneapolis stretched ribbons to form an aisle for the bridal procession and little Maxine Lawrence of Grand Forks, N. D., was flower girl. The bride entered on the arm of her father. She wore a beautiful gown of ivory tulle trimmed with point lace and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley made in stower effect. The maid of honor wore pink chiffon over crepe meteor, caught by sprays of pink rosebuds, and carried a shower bouquet of sweet peas. A reception followed the ceremony at which the following assisted in receiving: Mesdames J. E. Hurd and John Thompson of Minneapolis, W. E. Arnold of St. Paul, and the Misses Gladys Leisure, Jewel Finney, Gladys Ackerman and Nettie Morrison. In the dining room pink was used as the color note in the decorative scheme and the centerpiece for the bride's table was a large basket of pink roses and smilax. Red tulips were used effectively in the reception room. Mrs. Harry Lawrence and daughter of Grand Forks, N. D., were among the out of town guests at the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Luedeman after a short wedding trip, will be at home after June 1 at Eastshore Park, White Bear lake. On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Parks entertained the bridal party at their home. A buffet supper was served and the decorations were carried out in pink and green.

### Best for Skin Diseases

Nearly every skin disease yields quickly and permanently to Bucklen's Arnica Salve and nothing is better for burns or bruises. Soothes and heals. John Dye, of Gladwin, Mich., says, after suffering twelve years with skin ailment and spending \$400 in doctors' bills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. It will help you. Only 25c. Recommended by H. P. Dunn. —Advt.

## SCHOOL DISTRICT DIVISION TAKEN UP

Large Delegations From Crosby and Ironton Appear Before County Commissioners Today

THE QUESTION IS THRESHED OUT

Ironton Wants to Break From Dist. 51 and Form an Independent School District

Brainerd was visited by large delegations from Crosby and Ironton today who took up with the county commissioners matters in school district No. 51 which embraces Crosby and Ironton.

Ironton has filed a petition to break away from the district and form its own independent district. The Ironton men favored this plan of action and the Crosby delegation opposed it.

It seemed that the most prominent mining and business men of both towns had descended en masse upon Brainerd. The Crosby people included H. J. Kruse, superintendent of the Rogers, Brown Ore Co.; Ben A. Milzen, Will S. Pitt, B. B. Gaylor, E. W. Hallett, Charles S. Roulo, E. Lovdahl, Herman Lefkowitz, Village Attorney A. W. Uhl, Dr. R. J. Sewall, M. F. Crosby and others.

The Ironton delegation included Judge Primus D. Kreitter, Ed. Syverson, Ed. Krueger, Carl Dandrea, Howard Oits, Erick Olson, George Kidder, Frank Johnson, John Mattson, Frank Patrick, Robert Lundbohm, F. E. Chase, E. A. Lamb, P. E. Hurd, William Kast, M. B. Ellingson, and others.

P. E. Hurd had just returned from the hospital at Shakopee, but when he found that Ironton needed his services he braced up and went along with the rest of the crowd.

It is not known what the commissioners will do. They may decide the matter at the afternoon meeting as soon as they hear the spokesmen on both sides or they may defer action.

### RAILWAY WRECK PICTURES

Scenes on the Illinois Central and Harriman Systems to be Shown at the Grand

The committee of machinists and boiler-makers of the shops announces that on Wednesday evening, April 2, a number of slides will be shown in the Grand theater depicting wrecks on the Illinois Central and Harriman systems, also showing conditions under which the strikers endure.

These slides have been procured from the Illinois Central system federation strikers. Photographed and then hand painted, they stand out prominently when thrown on the screen.

The management of the Grand theater has been kind enough to donate the proceeds of the shows for that evening to the strikers of these systems.

"It is now up to you to attend and help the good cause along," says the committee.

These slides will be in addition to the regular show. Come early and avoid the rush. The current prices will prevail.

### MUSIC AND DRAMA

#### "The Great Divide"

The Daily Northwestern of Oshkosh, Wis., of March 24, has the following to say of "The Great Divide," which appears at the Brainerd opera house tonight:

"The Great Divide," that thrilling romance of the west and the east, was presented at the Grand opera house Sunday afternoon and evening, to packed houses. The Primrose company is a strong one and the applause accorded it was hearty and generous. Miss Allyn, in the part of Ruth Jordan, proved herself an emotional actress of marked ability. Mr. Harper, who took the difficult and heroic part of Stephen Ghent, was also admirable. The production was staged in a thorough manner.

DISPATCH ADS PAY—TRY ONE

# Spring Days Demand Spring Garments

## AND we have the kind you'll want

That is easily said, isn't it. We would hesitate to tell you that we have the kind you will want were it not that we thoroughly investigated styles, qualities and prices before we made our selections.

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### ROAD MATTERS UP

Brainerd-Aitkin Road Brings Crosby, Cuyuna, Ironton and Deerwood People to Town

In addition to the school district matter before the county commissioners there was another vital subject before the commissioners, that of the location of the state highway from Brainerd to Aitkin. Some wish it to extend through Crosby to the north of the Northern Pacific railway tracks and others want it to run south of the tracks and touching Deerwood.

Among the Deerwood people in town were Mayor C. C. Adams, Judge J. T. Hale, Secretary of the Commercial club Charles G. Osterlund, Olson Skau, E. A. Lamb and others.

### STATE AND LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Gleaned From Our Bright Exchanges and Boiled Down for the Benefit of Dispatch Readers

Delano's pickle factory will operate again this season.

The Cass county fair dates have been fixed for Sept. 25, 28 and 27.

The chicken thief is making St. Cloud suburban residents nervous.

Of the 230 members of the Graceville commercial club 130 are farmers.

Col. and Miss Potter have returned to Aitkin from a trip to the Panama canal.

The championship of Minnesota is claimed by the Staples basket ball team.

John McDonald, a bar tender, was shot down at Deer River by Herman Maki.

The third annual Morrison county fair have fixed dates for Sept. 16, 17 and 18.

Little Falls has granted a gas franchise to E. E. Collins by a unanimous vote of the city council.

At Warroad last month \$3,500 was paid out for furs to trappers. Last year \$12,000 was paid out for the same product.

The Perham rural telephone company will add 90 new phones to its line this spring, and will make a 100 mile extension.

Thomas Hooker, an old time Northern Pacific railway engineer, died at St. Paul and was buried at Staples under Masonic rites.

Farm improvements in the county immediately tributary to Long Prairie will exceed \$100,000 this year, according to the Leader.

The Indians around Walker are buying horses and building material with their money instead of spending it for bootleg whiskey, and propose to do some farming.

Leigh Cary, former city editor of the Little Falls Transcript and later of the St. Cloud Times, has been chosen as Judge Taylor's private secretary and will go to St. Paul.

Grand Forks housewives have formed a league and have decided to go to market with baskets on their arm instead of ordering by telephone, the idea being to reduce the high cost of living. The cost of delivery and a system of credit is eliminated where people go to market with a basket.

Floren Townsend, a Backus youth, was caught in the act of rifling a cash register at Little Falls. The youth is also charged with entering the store of J. W. Bailey twice and the depot three times, at Backus, each time committing burglary, but that the crime could not be proven. The Backus people rest easier now that he is in custody.

### DEANERY MEETING

Fifteen Delegates Attending Convention of Episcopal Church in This City

A meeting of the deanery of the Mississippi valley district of the Episcopal church is being held at the local church today and 15 delegates are in attendance.

This evening Rev. F. Durant of Hibbing will deliver a sermon at the evening services in the church.

## DISPATCH FUND STILL GROWING

The contributors:  
A. O. U. W. lodge No. 47 ----- \$25.00  
B. A. Y. Homestead No. 602 -- 10.00  
Childrens Hour ----- 3.00  
Judge G. W. Holland ----- 25.00  
Empress theater benefit ----- 25.45

The Empress theater this morning handed in its check for \$25.45, being the net proceeds of the benefit performance given last evening. The popular moving picture theater entertained large crowds of patrons who were well satisfied with the splendid bill offered. Films of the latest in the moving picture world were shown and in addition Brainerd's singer, Al Mraz, sang two songs. Manager J. B. Schmit is to be commended for the work he has done to aid the flood sufferers at Dayton and vicinity.

The Grand theater will give its benefit performance next Monday evening, April 7.

The donation of \$10 made by Brainerd Homestead No. 602 Brotherhood of American Yeomen, is reported in the list of contributions, but to date the check has not been received at the Dispatch office. The lodge, at its Friday night meeting, ordered the donation made.

The other contributions have been sent out as follows: Workman \$25 check on Saturday, March 29. The Children's Hour \$3 and Judge G. W. Holland \$25 checks on Monday, March 31. The Empress \$25.45 check on Tuesday, April 1.

All checks should be made payable to Governor J. M. Cox, who is governor of Ohio and also president for the Red Cross society of that state. The governor will see that the money is expended where relief is most needed. In addition the Dispatch has written for receipts of all moneys sent.

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Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c.

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A full line of Groceries and Confectionery. Cigars and Tobacco. Fresh Fruit at all times. 1618 Oak street. 194tf  
Open Evenings and Sundays.

### Brockway & Parker

Staple and fancy groceries, flour, feed and provisions. HEADQUARTERS FOR FRUIT. Ferndell coffee. 211 South Seventh St. Phone 71 88

### Drink

CRYSTAL SPRING WATER  
From Roskos' Flowing Well  
Pure and Sanitary  
Delivered Daily to all Part of the City  
Phone 13 84

### Ritari Brothers

Cement blocks, bricks, sidewalks, curbs, foundations and all kinds of cement and concrete work.  
Ritari Bros., 1123 E. Norwood St. 1051mo

### Business Getters

These little ads cost \$1 a month and they surely get the business. Try one. The firms using them endorse them.

### Spring Water

We deliver to any part of the city pure spring water from Adam Brown's spring. Phone R. Peterson, 269-R, residence 904 South 6th St. 244tf

### Home Bakery

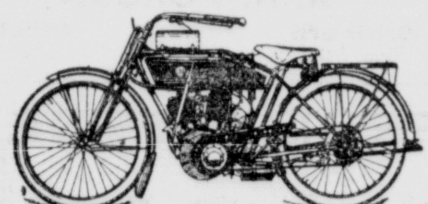
For the finest baked bread, rolls, cakes and pies, see the Koering Bakery, 5 Farrar St., N. E. Our wagon delivers all over town. Phone 478. 77

### Molanen Groceries

Full line staple and fancy groceries, ham and bacon, fruits, canned goods, also cigars and tobacco. Butter and eggs bought. Henry Molanen, 1224 E. Oak St. 88

### Echo Dairy

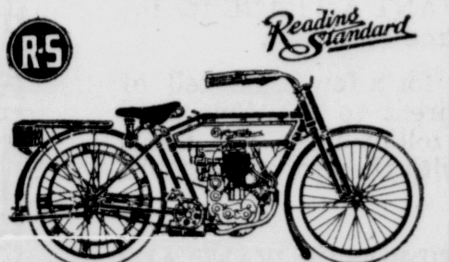
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## DEAN LAKE NEWS

Mrs. L. A. Fuhore called at the Keim home Thursday.

Mrs. Benson was an Aitkin shopper Saturday.

Mrs. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Wagner and Henry Wagner were visiting at the Ellis home Sunday.

Hello Benson! How do you like hauling fence posts with oxen?

Mr. Gust and August Wenzel were in Aitkin Saturday.

Mrs. P. J. Wagner and sons Peter and Henry were Aitkin shoppers Tuesday.

Miss Cordelia Keim went to Fuhores Thursday and returned Sunday evening.

School was closed on Friday and Monday in Dist. 30.

Mrs. A. J. Keim and daughters Jose and Lovenia called at Fuhores Sunday.

OLD BATCH.

## BRAINERD OPERA HOUSE

F. G. HALL, Manager.

Curtain 8:30.

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Soothing.

"Nan," said Pau, "I've got a gown exactly like that one of yours, and I just hate it. It looks all right on you, though, because you're so thin that the pattern doesn't show."—Chicago Tribune.

## Cause of Eczema Now Explained

Eczema, Psoriasis and other skin troubles are caused by myriads of germs that work in the skin. Salves have been tried but have been proven worthless, for they only close the pores and fail utterly to remove the real cause of the disease.

These germs can be destroyed only by wash, and unless this is promptly done, they rapidly multiply, gnawing their way deep into the sensitive tissue. This is what causes that awful itch, and what seemed a mere rash, now grows worse and develops into a loathsome and torturing skin disease with its years of misery.

Don't take any chances! Destroy the germs at the beginning of the trouble with that soothing and cleansing wash, the D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema.

H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv.

## ROSS LAKE RIPPLES

James Woodson, George Keeler and Peter Johnson went to Aitkin Sunday.

Harry Keeler and Irl Brown attended the dance given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Merritt.

Mary Johnson returned Wednesday from a visit at International Falls.

Peter Johnson purchased a new tubular separator recently.

James Toudt went to Aitkin on Tuesday and returned Wednesday.

Mrs. E. E. Day sold a cow last week for \$45.

William Keeler went to Brainerd last Thursday to remain over Easter with friends.

Miss Islay Simpson came home from Fleming Lake to spend a few days.

## BABY LOVES ZEMO FOR SKIN TROUBLE

Stops Itching at Once. Cures Irritated, Chapped Skin

Buy a 25c Bottle Today and Prove It

Try one application of ZEMO on the baby, and see the poor little fellow jubilate with his toes, and chuckle. If he could only talk, he'd thank you for the heavenly relief. ZEMO is guaranteed to stop itching immediately or money is refunded.

For rash, tetter, and all the skin troubles that babies suffer, ZEMO has no equal.

For the skin troubles that men and women suffer, for all the itching, raw, scorching eczema, dandruff, inflamed or reddened skin, it has proven its astonishing results in thousands of cases. The immediate relief it gives is almost heavenly. ZEMO is a clean, antiseptic solution applied to the skin; no oily paste or ointment. "My feet would scald and crack into the blood. Could hardly walk. Tried one bottle of ZEMO, 25c, and it cured them." F. W. Flowers, Jeweler, Oakdale, Va.

ZEMO is sold in 25c sealed bottles and guaranteed in Brainerd by Johnson's Pharmacy.—Adv.

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## BARROWS

C. S. Mason, of the Mason Cedar Co., will put a lumberyard in Barrows. He has a large yard at Palsade.

A Methodist church was organized by Rev. E. E. Satterlee of Brainerd, and a building will be erected in the spring. The townsite company has donated a site.

Material is arriving for the Peck building.

People are arriving every day and clamoring for houses.

The townsite company will soon build ten more houses, of two story seven room construction and provided with ample porches.

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## NORTH MINNESOTA WELL ADVERTISED

Northern Pacific and Minnesota & International Railways Issue 50 Page Booklet Giving

## ITS AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES

Cover and Contents Embellished With Many Scenes from Crow Wing County

The Northern Pacific and the Minnesota & International railways have recently issued a 50 page booklet devoted to Northern Minnesota and describing the agricultural resources of this coming section of the state.

The cover and many of the pages are embellished with scenes from Crow Wing county. The cover is printed in two colors and on the first page of the cover design is a large picture of two haystacks carrying heavy loads of the new mown hay. This and many of the other Crow Wing county pictures mentioned were taken by the photographer engaged by the Brainerd Commercial club to illustrate its booklet boosting Crow Wing county.

Smaller pictures above show the silo on James M. Elder's farm east of the city and cattle grazing on the Con O'Brien farm. On the back page of the cover is a large view of Fred H. Gruenhagen's farm on the South 13th Street road. It shows plainly his new silo and barn, the residence and other buildings, windmill, etc. Above and below are smaller pictures revealing views of farm life, the tall end picture a bunch of porkers feeding at a trough.

Studying the pages of this publication makes a man proud of his home state. And place one of these booklets in the hands of a tenant farmer of Iowa, Illinois or Wisconsin and he will come forthwith to Minnesota. Reviewing the pages of this booklet brings back the breath of the new mown hay, the scenes of planting, and threshing and harvesting. Show that book to the man in a study office chained to his desk and it will be a powerful stimulant to start the "back to the farm" movement.

One sees large corn fields and Minnesota, by the way, produced 99,000,000 bushels last year. Nestled in the woods is the log house home of the pioneer in the Rainy River country. The tall pines stand out distinctly etched against the clear sky. Smoke curls from the chimney of the cottage and the little clearing attests to the energy of its owner. The cordwood gained by clearing the land helps the income. Clearing land by dynamite shows what this explosive can do to shake stumps out of their resting places. The pictures shown include plowing in the Red River valley; Koochiching corn; harvesting barley; a pretty farm in Aitkin county; a corn field near Brainerd; scenes at Blackduck; silo and barn; good roads and the moral they convey in the shape of big loads easily hauled; wheat fields; fodder corn for a silo in St. Louis county; clover alfalfa and buckwheat fields; glimpse of a field of freshly tilled soil; planting potatoes on James M. Elder's farm near Brainerd; apple trees in Cass county; rutabagas on the Jean du Luth farm near Duluth; short horn bull, livestock, guernsey bull and James M. Elder's pure bred Northern Minnesota Shropshire; scene of fine cows on W. W. Michael's farm near Brainerd; an Aitkin county scene of cattle; Pieterje Maid Ormsby, the Holstein cow holding the seven and thirty day milk and butter records; views of the stockyards at Staples; breakfast bacon to come, growing on James M. Elder's model farm near Brainerd; picture of sheep on the Elder farm; horses on a Chisago county farm; barred Plymouth Rocks chickens; Cedar lake near Aitkin; timothy and clover on a logged-off farm before removing the stumps picture of turkeys, and Minnesota, by the way, raises more than 1,000,000 annually; an Aitkin county berry farm which raised \$750 in raspberries on two and one half acres; a spruce and balsam meadow showing timothy hand sowed and growing without cultivation; views in and around Red Lake Falls and picking cherries, apples and strawberries there; an Aitkin county onion field; a natural, wild meadow with its new mown hay; a Minnesota trout stream.

Study the pictures and the reading matter and Mr. Farmer, if you're looking for a location you can't do better than pick out northern Minnesota for your home. The crops can be raised and the markets are here. Settlers are coming in daily this spring.

In its "Invitation from Minnesota" the publication states: "Although settlement has been rapid in Minnesota during the past few years, land values in this state, owing to the absence of real estate booms, are still conservative, and it is doubtful if as good land can be purchased elsewhere in the United States at the present time for as little money. Minnesota land should appeal to all classes of buyers, including the real estate investor, the well-to-do farmer, the farmer or renter who is looking for low-priced land, or the renter or man of moderate means who is looking for good but unimproved land which he can make more valuable through the labor of himself and his family.

Minnesota, it is confidently predicted, will develop faster along agricultural lines during the next ten years than will any other state in the Mississippi valley. In fact, this great progress is already taking place. Her agricultural interests are diversified to such an extent that prosperity is assured every year to her people. The best evidence of this fact was found in the panic year of 1907, which paralyzed conditions in many sections of the United States, but was scarcely noticed in the Northwest.

Minnesota farmers as a class are very prosperous and progressive. Nearly all nationalities are represented in her farm population, and most of her farmers have been recruited from older agricultural states, where the venturesome saw an opportunity to sell out their farms and purchase new and more fertile land in Minnesota for less money. Those who have come to Minnesota within the past ten years have reaped a very comfortable harvest in the increased valuation of their lands, although it can truthfully be stated that the same opportunity for wise investment still exists.

Just the plain facts concerning the agricultural resources of Minnesota are given. These facts are conservatively stated and will be borne out upon investigation. During the past season of 1912, Minnesota harvested, probably, the most bountiful crop in the history of the Northwest. There has never existed a better opportunity for studying the soil possibilities of the state. While the crop yields during this season were so bountiful in many cases that the mere truth seems too marvelous to believe, it should be remembered that Minnesota raises satisfactory crops EVERY year, and is one of those states where the truth need never be distorted for the benefit of the land-buying public.

Of interest are the personal experiences of Minnesota farmers detailed in letters addressed to Mr. L. J. Bricker, general immigration agent of the Northern Pacific railway.

W. B. Jones of Sylvan whose farm is a few miles west of Brainerd along the Northern Pacific railway in his communication dated October 21, 1912, says: "Oats this year have yielded from 30 to 60 bushels an acre; clover seed 2 bushels an acre; potatoes 200 bushels; flax 14 bushels; wheat 25 bushels; corn 40 bushels; onions 500 bushels; hay a ton and a half, an acre. Land prices are advancing very fast and land has doubled in value here in the last ten years. Population is increasing the valuation of stock and land; there are double the number of children going to school in Cass county than were five years ago.

We have a new creamery, built in May, which has all it can do to take care of the cream. If settlers keep coming the land will double in price in the next five years. This is a good healthful country, with plenty of pure water and all kinds of fish and game. We have a good class of new settlers, who are pleased with the country and are bringing their old neighbors here to buy more land. It will not be long before our lands will sell for \$40 or \$50 an acre."

Hauge Brothers, of Pine River, situated about 30 miles north of Brainerd, along the Minnesota & International railway, write: "We came here in the spring of 1906 and purchased a partly improved farm of 120 acres a short distance from the village of Pine River at a price of \$25 an acre. We now have the biggest part of our farm under cultivation, and have a full set of farm machinery and all necessary buildings including a good barn and silo, and a nice herd of dairy cows. We consider our farm worth \$50 an acre.

"Later we purchased 80 acres of wild land at \$10 an acre, which is now partly improved and which we consider worth \$25 an acre.

"Anyone who wants to work can get a good and comfortable home here for a small sum of money. Wild land can be bought at from \$6 an acre up, according to location. This country is well adapted for corn, clover and potatoes."

J. S. Rice, living on his farm, "Pleasant Valley Farm," at Mildred on the Minnesota & International railway a few miles north of Pine River, writes a very interesting letter of his experiences: "I arrived here in April 1900, with a team of horses, two cows, four pigs, forty-five dollars and a family of ten. I took a homestead and before I could get my buildings up and any land cleared I got in debt over \$300 at the store. The price of land was \$3 an acre. I now own a half section of land, of which I have about 100 acres cleared. I have a full line of farm implements, haying tools, manure spreader, grain binder, threshing machine, corn binder, corn shredder, saw mill, and last but not least, an automobile. I have three horses, 28 head of cattle and 27 hogs. I have never had a mortgage on a foot of land or on any personal property. I consider my half section of land worth \$50 an acre now. This country is all right, and anyone who will work can make a success here. Now is the time to buy land if you want to get it cheap."

Man and Repose.

Repose is agreeable to the human mind, and decision is repose. A man has made up his opinions, he does not choose to be disturbed, and he is much more thankful to the man who confirms him in his errors and leaves him alone than he is to the man who refutes him, or who instructs him at the expense of his tranquility.—Sydney Smith.

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## WATERWORKS FOR DEERWOOD

This Proposition Carried by the Progressives of the Village 101 to 53 Votes

## SEWERS FAIL OF PASSAGE

D. M. Neill Spoke at Deerwood Tuesday Evening—Other News Items of the Town

Deerwood, Minn., March 28.—The proposition to bond the village \$15,000 for waterworks carried, the voters at the special election Wednesday expressing their preference by 101 yeas against 53 nays. A 5-8 vote was necessary to carry it.

The sewer system failed to carry. This was a proposition to bond the village \$10,000. The vote stood 85 yeas and 59 nays.

The town was divided into two camps, dubbed the wets and dries, or the hip, hip, hurrahs and the gloomy gusses. Now each side is going around satisfied that one carried and the other defeated a proposition.

Deerwood, all agree, must have some talking points to convince the many people who will examine northern Minnesota this year, that Deerwood is a good place to live in. In mining and manufacturing there is not much being done at present, so for advertising purposes Deerwood must be a drawing card as a home proposition, a place where a man can raise a family, give them the conveniences of city life, good schooling, good people for neighbors, good churches, and the hundred and one things which weigh in the scale when a man views the Cuyuna range and figures on a home.

Are the people going to have the waterworks puts in and leave the sewers? Many think that another special election can be called to put in the sewers. And another point that should not be forgotten. Most of the money spent on waterworks and sewers will stay right in Deerwood. It will give steady employment in the summer. There will be ditches to be dug, wells to be sunk, a pumping station to be built, a tank to be erected.

It cost some effort to secure cement sidewalks in Deerwood. Is there a man who would go back to the old days of muddy cow paths and sloughs in the streets? Doesn't every visitor comment on Deerwood's pretty streets and nice sidewalks? It's worth something to have people talk that way about your town.

D. M. Neill, president of the Associated Commercial clubs of the state spoke on, "Community Development" at Hilyar's hall Tuesday evening. He said a community was like a family. He deprecated the factions, cliques and groups often found in small towns. The people should arise above such things and all work together with a common purpose in view. He gave his ideas on the proper way to advertise a town.

County Commissioners John A. Oberg of Deerwood, Erickson of Brainerd and Tucker of Fort Ripley were at Deerwood Wednesday and were taken to Crosby by Dr. R. J. Sewall to examine into school district matters in district No. 61.

Lawrence Reid and John Wick of the Methodist church of Deerwood and Rev. Rouland and Mr. Anderson of Crosby, joined the Brainerd delegates on their way to the Duluth Sunday school convention Wednesday.

The Humphrey auto livery has received a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Hage are expected home this week from Los Angeles, Cal., where they visited several months.

Thomas Keating and daughter, Marcella Keating, were called to Vancouver, B. C., where another daughter was sick with pneumonia.

Frank Oberg was at Omaha at the time of the tornado but was out of the path of the storm. He says the damage done by the twister was something terrific.

The Deerwood telegraph operator had a job on his hands the other day when he sent a message in Austrian. It was spelled out to him letter by letter.

Will Brown of Duluth, was at Deerwood Wednesday and left in the afternoon for Riverton.

Gust Carlson has gone to Butte, Mont., where he has mining interests.

George I. Reid, of the Duluth Herald, was beaten to a frazzle in a smear game at the Adams hotel. Mr. Reid is quite an expert player at the head of the lakes, but when he competed against the Deerwood past masters of the game he quickly succumbed to their science and finesse.

The Rebekahs entertained the Odd Fellows Thursday evening with an oyster supper and other refreshments.

W. Clemenger, formerly of Brainerd in years past and later in business at Frazee, is meeting with good success in his operation of the Lakeside hotel. He has a large number of steady boarders and the transient trade is also growing.

The Stowell Exploration company has rented the Wasserzieher building near the postoffice.

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